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## ORDER FOR RAILROAD STRIKE ANNULLED

### Senate Passes The Eight-Hour Law; President Will Sign It Today

#### DANGER OF STRIKE WHICH HAS HUNG OVER COUNTRY FOR MONTH HAS VANISHED

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MEASURE WENT THROUGH UPPER HOUSE OF CONGRESS BY VOTE OF 43 TO 28, ALMOST A STRICT PARTY VOTE

President Wilson Will Attach His Signature at 7:30 O'Clock This Morning—Efforts of Senators to Amend the Bill Were Fruitless—Some Congressmen and Railroad Officials Doubt the Constitutionality of the New Law.

Washington, September 2.—The threat of a general railroad strike, which has been hanging like a pall over the country for a month, was lifted tonight.

Three hours after the Senate had passed without amendment the Adamson 8-hour day bill, passed by the House yesterday, the heads of the four great railroad employees' brotherhoods telegraphed 600 odd code messages to their general chairmen in all parts of the country cancelling the strike order issued a week ago, to take effect next Monday morning at 7 o'clock.

The legislative expedient to avert the strike was passed in the Senate by a vote of 43 to 28—almost a strict party vote—amid stirring scenes, after many senators, Democrats and Republicans, had fought desperately to amend the measure by provisions designed to prevent industrial disasters in the future. Some senators, thoroughly aroused, declared Congress was being coerced into enactment of legislation that it did not desire and that it knew would return to plague it in the future.

In both houses the measure was signed within a few minutes after the final vote in the Senate and it was sent at once to the White House where President Wilson will sign it at 7:30 o'clock tomorrow morning after his return from Shadow Lawn. Officials of the brotherhoods who witnessed the final passage of the bill had announced early in the night that the order of the strike would not be ordered until the bill had been signed by the President and actually had become law. But later they conferred, changed their minds and flashed the code messages signalling to the waiting trainmen of the country through their chairman the message that a satisfactory settlement had been secured.

The bill that stopped the strike provides that after January 1, 1917, eight hours shall be regarded as a basis of reckoning for a day's pay of men engaged in the operation of railroad trains in interstate commerce (excepting roads less than 100 miles long and electric lines), that they shall receive no extra pay for work in excess of eight hours, and that their rate of compensation shall not be changed pending an investigation for from six to nine months of the effect of the 8-hour day upon the railroads by a commission to be appointed by the President.

Efforts to amend the bill in the Senate were futile, the supreme effort to alter it having been led by Senator Underwood, who sought to provide that the Interstate Commerce Commission should have power to fix railroad wages and hours of service in the future. This amendment was defeated by a vote of 57 to 14.

How They Voted. Only two Democrats, Senators Hardwick, of Georgia, and Clarke, of Arkansas, voted against the bill, and one Republican, LaFollette, of Wisconsin, voted for it.

The roll call follows:  
For the bill:  
Democrats—Ashurst, Bankhead, Beckham, Bryan, Chamberlain, Chilton, Culberson, Fletcher, Hitchcock, Hughes, Husting, Johnson of South Dakota, Kern, Lane, Lea, of Tennessee; Lee of Maryland; Lewis, Martin, Myers, Newlands, Overman, Phelan, Pittman, Pomerehne, Randall, Reed, Robinson, Saulsbury, Shoup, Shields, Simmons, Smith of Arizona; Smith of Maryland; Smith of South Carolina; Swanson, Taggart, Thomas, Thompson, Underwood, Vardaman, Walsh and Williams—42.  
Republicans—LaFollette—1.  
Total, 43.

Against the bill:  
Republicans—Borah, Brady, Brandegee, Clapp, Colt, Cummins, Curtis, Delaham, Dugan, Gallinger, Gronna, Jones, Kanyon, McCumber, McLean, Nelson, Norris, Oliver, Penrose, Sherman, Smith of Michigan; Smoot, Sterling, Wadsworth, Warren and Weeks—26.  
Democrats—Clarke, of Arkansas, and Hardwick—2.  
Total, 28.

Constitutionality Doubtful. Railroad officials have declared that the action of Congress will cost them

#### SCENE OF NOTIFICATION CEREMONY AND PRINCIPAL PARTICIPANTS



#### SORRY STRIKE HAS BEEN CALLED OFF

President Ripley, of the Santa Fe, Declares the Adamson Law Will Surely be Tested.

#### NO PRECIPITATE ACTION

Measure Will First be Thoroughly Investigated—Orders Sent Out Cancelling All Embargoes on Western Roads.

Chicago, Sept. 2.—Managers of Western railroads announced tonight they would take no precipitate action against the Adamson law but would wait until the measure had been thoroughly investigated. President E. P. Ripley, of the Atchafalpa, Topeka & Santa Fe railroad, said, however, that he was sorry the question had not gone to a critical test.

"I am sorry the strike has been called off," Mr. Ripley said. "The Adamson bill does not become effective until January 1. Between now and then we can decide what to do. But the law surely will be tested."

Telegrams were sent to all division points on Western railroads informing both railway officials and trainmen that there would be no strike. Orders were also issued for cancelling all embargoes by those roads that had not already done so.

All Embargoes Raised. New Orleans, Sept. 2.—The Texas & Pacific railroad late today issued orders raising its embargo on all classes of freight at all points on its lines.

Will Lift Embargo. Richmond, Va., Sept. 2.—The Chesapeake & Ohio railway announced tonight that it would lift its freight embargo before tomorrow morning.

Pennsylvania Lifts Embargo. Philadelphia, Sept. 2.—After the officials of the Pennsylvania railroad had been notified that the threatened strike had been called off, the threatened strike was telegraphed throughout the system tonight lifting the embargo on freight that had been established in anticipation of the strike.

Canceled by Two Roads. Baltimore, Sept. 2.—The Baltimore & Ohio began tonight the issuance of orders by telegraph cancelling all embargoes. The Western Maryland railroad also announced that its embargoes would be lifted immediately.

Embargoes Lifted. Boston, Mass., Sept. 2.—The New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad tonight sent out notices cancelling its embargo on freight issued when the trainmen's strike seemed imminent. The Boston & Maine railroad also has announced it had lifted its embargo.

Will Act in Few Hours. New York, Sept. 2.—A step to lift freight embargoes imposed when the nation-wide railway controversy assumed a threatening aspect was expected it had lifted its embargo. (Continued on Page Eleven.)

#### AUSTRIANS RETIRE ACROSS THE CERNIA

Rumanian Forces Are Successful in the First Hard Battle Since Declaring War.

#### ANOTHER TOWN OCCUPIED

Another Zeppelin Attack on East Coast of England—French Seize Several German and Austrian Ships at Piraeus.

London, Sept. 2.—One of a squadron of German Zeppelins which raided England tonight with London and the eastern counties apparently as their objectives, was brought down in flames, an official announcement says. Many bombs were dropped but no reports of casualties have been received.

The German Zeppelin brought down in flames in last night's raid is the second to meet disaster in attempted attacks on London this year. On March 31 the Zeppelin L-15 was damaged, and came down off the Thames estuary. The British captured 17 men of the crew. The Zeppelin was taken in tow by a British patrol but subsequently broke up and sank.

In the first hard battle between Rumanian and Austrian troops the Austrians have been forced to retire across the Cerna river north of Orsova, near the Iron Gates on the Danube. Vienna announces that the Austrian troops withdrew after five days of heavy fighting.

In eastern Transylvania, the Austrian retirement continues. Hermannstadt has been added to the towns given up to the invading Rumanians. Apparently the Austrians are carrying out their reported plan of shortening the battle line in Transylvania and are giving the Rumanians little opposition except near Orsova.

Another Zeppelin Raid. London announces another Zeppelin raid over the east coast of England on Saturday night. Few details have been received but bombs were dropped on several places.

The Entente ministers at Athens, says a belated dispatch from the Greek capital, have drafted a note for presentation to Premier Zaimis. It probably was handed to the Greek premier on Saturday. The tenor of its contents is not known.

The arrival of an allied fleet off Piraeus, the port of Athens, has been followed by the announcement that the flag of France has been hoisted on four German and three Austrian merchant ships in the harbor. Boarding parties (Continued on Page Eleven.)

#### 'WONDERFUL THING' GARRETSON SAYS

Heads of the Four Brotherhoods Express Pleasure at Passage of Eight-Hour Bill.

#### ALL EMPLOYEES AFFECTED

Mr. Garrettson Says the New Law Reaches Far Enough Down to Help the Negro Railroad Worker of the South.

Washington, Sept. 2.—"The enactment of this piece of legislation," said A. R. Garrettson, head of the Conductors' Brotherhood tonight, "giving as it does an 8-hour day for every man employed in the operating department of the railroads of this country from the Canadian border to the Gulf and from the Atlantic to the Pacific is a wonderful thing. It not only affects the Brotherhoods and the best paid men who come under their jurisdiction but it reaches far enough down the line to give the negro railroad worker of the South his chance for his white ally."

"I do not care whether the bill is signed on Sunday or some other day, nor does the constitutionality of such an act bother me. If the President sees fit to sign it on that day I'll be willing to accept his judgment that the act is legal."

W. G. Lee, head of the Trainmen said: "Of course I am pleased that we have avoided a strike. We did not want a strike any more than any one in this country, but we had come to a point where if a strike became necessary to win our demands we were willing to go into one. I feel confident, too, that we would have emerged victorious if a strike had been necessary."

"That situation, however, now is past. It is probable, of course, that the railroads will ask for increased freight rates. If they can show that they are deserving of them the Brotherhoods will help obtain them. But unless they can show good cause for advances, of course we will not go to their assistance."

The bill as enacted today does not contain all that we should have liked to have. We were willing, however, to make sacrifices and we made them. We are willing to abide by the legislation as passed by Congress."

W. S. Carter and W. S. Stone, heads of the Firemen and Engineers, respectively, gave out no statements frantically to say that they were pleased with the outcome of the negotiations. All of the Brotherhood leaders were inclined to regard lightly reports that the railroads would make a determination on the constitutionality of the eight-hour day. They feel that the 10-hour day is a thing of the past now, regardless of how the courts may interpret the Adamson bill. The practical operation of the eight-hour day, they declare, will convince the public and the railroads that it was a step in the right direction.

#### PRESIDENT FORMALLY ACCEPTS NOMINATION AND OPENS CAMPAIGN

#### REVIEWS RECORD MADE BY WILSON

Senator Ollie James Notifies the President of His Nomination by Democrats.

#### CALLED TO SERVE COUNTRY

Speaker Points to the Fact That America is at Peace With Honor—Country More Prosperous Than Ever in Its History.

Shadow Lawn, N. J., Sept. 2.—United States Senator Ollie M. James, of Kentucky, in his address notifying President Wilson of his nomination for the Presidency again, spoke in part as follows: "Mr. President: The Democracy of the republic assembled in national convention at St. Louis, Mo. June 14, 1916, was genuinely representative of the true spirit of America—its ideals of justice and of patriotism."

"These representatives of the purest democracy in the world, after three and a half years of trial of your service to the people of the country, with a nation to choose from to fill the greatest office in the world, instinctively and enthusiastically turned to you. By this they not only registered their own will and desire, but also the will and wish of the people back home, whose trusted and honored spokesmen they were. With an enthusiasm, unanimity and earnestness never surpassed in the political life of America, they have summoned you again to lead the hosts of peace, prosperity and American righteousness."

"They do not make this call upon you for the purpose of honoring you, for you have already bestowed upon you by your countrymen the greatest honor within their gift. They call you for service to America and mankind; a service you have so amply proved to be of the highest type known to just governments among men; a service that has given justice to all men upon free and equal terms; a service that has restored taxation to its historic and constitutional function; a service that has freed trade to individual and honest endeavor; a service that has lifted from the tables and homes of the plain people of America a burden of taxation, which they have unjustly borne for more than a half century and placed it in the hands of the nation for the land; a service that has driven monopoly from its rendezvous of taxation; a service that has denied to the trusts of Republican creation a hiding place in the maw of the nation from the control of a money oligarchy; and lodged it in the hands of the Government; a service that at once destroyed too trusts—a Money Trust and a Panic Trust."

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Rebukes Disloyal Citizens. Further along, rebuking foreign born (Continued on Page Eleven.)

Declares in His Speech the Republican Party is "A Practical and Moral Failure."

#### DEFENDS FOREIGN POLICIES

Recites the Achievements of His Administration and Declares for a "Big America."

#### MORE THAN 8,000 PRESENT

Senator Ollie James Makes the Notification Speech.

Long Branch, N. J., September 2.—President Wilson today formally opened his campaign for reelection with a speech accepting the Democratic nomination in which he characterized the Republican party as "a practical and moral failure," defended his Mexican and European policies, recited the legislative achievements of his administration, and declared for a "big America."

The President left Shadow Lawn at 11 o'clock tonight for Washington.

In his speech President Wilson was unsparing in his criticism of the Republican party as a party of "masterly inactivity and cunning resourcefulness in standing pat to resist change," and said that old leaders still select its candidates, but he did not mention Charles E. Hughes, the Republican candidate by name.

Over 8,000 Heard Him. The President spoke from the veranda of his summer home to a crowd which filled 8,000 chairs and overflowed to the lawn.

Speaking in the open his voice could be heard by only a small part of the crowd, but those who did hear his constantly interrupted with applause. Once, when he said "I neither seek the favor nor fear the displeasure of that small alien element among us which puts loyalty to any foreign power before loyalty to the United States," the crowd stood and cheered.

(The full text of the President's speech of acceptance will be found on page nine of today's paper.—News Editor.)

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## WEBB FOREIGN AGENCY BILL PASSED BY HOUSE

Thus Practically Cleans Up Its Legislative Slate.

Senate May Not Reach Bill This Session, Though It Is Endorsed by Trade Commission and Commerce Department.

(Special Star Telegram.) Washington, D. C., Sept. 2.—The House practically cleaned up its legislative slate so far as the present session is concerned when it passed today the Webb bill permitting American exporters to form selling agencies, to promote the foreign trade of the United States. The vote was 200 to 24. It is doubted that the Senate will reach the bill at this session, although the measure has the endorsement of the Federal Trade Commission and the Department of Commerce.

The bill provides that notwithstanding the anti-trust laws it shall be legal for American exporters to combine and form agencies for the marketing of American products abroad. Chairman Webb, of the Judiciary committee, said the measure was particularly in the interest of the small business man who has no facilities to maintain, unaided agencies for the disposal of his goods in foreign countries.

Mr. Webb argued that foreign countries, notably Germany, encourage the formation of such selling agencies and that American exporters will be at a decided disadvantage following the European war if they cannot fight for trade with similar weapons. The bill will benefit cotton manufacturers of the South to a considerable extent.

"Few, if any, foreign countries compel their exporters to observe business standards prescribed by our anti-trust law," said Mr. Webb. "Then why should we require our exporters to observe a higher and stricter standard of conduct than their foreign competitors are required to observe? By this bill we permit our exporters to meet their foreign rivals on foreign soil on equal terms."

**New Route in Duplin.** Representative Hood has been advised that a new rural delivery route will be established from Pink Hill through Duplin county, effective November 1. He is also advised that some changes had been ordered on route No. 1 from Roseboro.

Mr. Hood today cancelled all engagements for next week to speak in his district. Majority Leader Kitchin advised him to remain in Washington until Congress adjourned. Mrs. George E. Hood and children who have been here with Congressman Hood returned to Goldsboro today.

R. W. Sells, of High Point; A. A. Shuford and wife, of Hickory; D. L. Cawley and wife, of Greensboro; Bruce Carraway, of High Point, are among today's visitors.

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Americans who are not loyal to the United States, he said:

"I am a candidate for a party, but I am above all things else an American citizen."

When Mr. Wilson declared that the revolution in Mexico is right, and that so long as its leaders represent, however imperfectly, a struggle for freedom, he is ready to serve their ends, the crowd applauded. Applause also greeted his declaration that America must do its part in laying the foundation for world peace.

The policy of the United States in dealing with violations of the rights of Americans as a result of the European war, the President declared, thus: "That property rights can be vindicated by claims for damage when the war is over and no modern nation can decline to arbitrate such claims, but the fundamental rights of humanity cannot be."

**Many Political Leaders.** The audience, which listened to the President's address of acceptance, was made up largely of residents of New Jersey coast towns, but included Democratic leaders from every section of the country and delegations from New York, Pennsylvania and other nearby states.

Secretary Lansing, Secretary Houston, Secretary McAdoo and Postmaster General Burleson represented the cabinet, and virtually all the members of the notional committee, the Democratic National Committee, the Democratic Campaign committee and the Associated Campaign committee of Progressives also was present.

**Crowds in Festival Mood.** Long Branch and Westend were decorated in red, white and blue for the occasion and the crowds which attended the ceremony were in festival mood. Mr. Wilson himself was seldom without a smile throughout the day. Prior to his speech he entertained at lunch, but tonight he remained at Shadow Lawn with members of his family, and his closest advisers until time came to depart for Washington.

The President will arrive in Washington early tomorrow and after a stay of three hours will leave for Hodgenville, Ky., to deliver a Lincoln speech on Monday. He will return to Washington Tuesday afternoon.

**TEXT OF BILL AS SENT TO PRESIDENT FOR SIGNATURE.** Washington, Sept. 2.—The text of the Adamson 8-hour bill as it was sent to the President for his signature, follows:

"Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, that beginning January 1, 1917, eight hours shall, in contracts for labor service, be deemed a day's work, and the measure of standard of day's work for the purpose of reckoning compensation for services of all employees who are now or may hereafter be employed by any common carrier, by railroads, except railroads independently owned and operated not exceeding one hundred miles in length, electric street railways and electric interurban railways, which is subject to the provisions of the act of February 4, 1917, entitled 'an act to regulate commerce' as

**Free Concert Tonight.** At Harbor Island Auditorium by the Don Richardson Orchestra. Night concert will be given at Auditorium instead of at Lumina. Afternoon concert at Lumina as usual. (advertisement)

## Statesville Takes The Championship

TAKES TWO OUT OF THREE GAMES WITH LUMBERTON AT CHARLOTTE—SCORE OF FINAL GAME, 8 TO 1.

(Special Star Telegram.) Charlotte, N. C., Sept. 2.—Statesville slugged its way to the amateur championship of the State this afternoon, winning the third game from Lumberton, 8 to 1. Fisher, who started the game for Lumberton, was chased in the fourth inning, after three runs had been scored. Stone, who replaced him, went good until the seventh, when an awful onslaught of hits and an error gave the Westerners four more tallies. Their final count came in the ninth.

Lumberton's only run fell in the seventh. Smith singled, was advanced to third by McMillan's single to right, and counted when Galloway sent a safety to center. The Easterners had an excellent chance to score in the fifth frame when bases were crowded with none out.

Galloway tried to left for the first out and Hodgkin ended the inning by flying to center. Person being thrown out at the plate on the throw-in for a double play. The game was slow and lacked the pep of the previous games.

Summary—Two-base hits, McMillan, Letzer, Kirk. Three-base hit, Kirk; sacrifice hits, Hodgkin, Lancaster (3). Bases on balls: off Zachery 2. Struck out: by Fisher 1 in 3 innings; by Stone, 3 in 6 innings; by Zachery, 6; wild pitch, Stone. Stolen bases, Galloway, Love, Irby. Double plays: Irby to Letzer. Left on bases: Statesville, 10; Lumberton, 7. First base on errors: Statesville 2; Lumberton, 1. Time of game, 2 hours. Attendance: 550. Umpires, Johnson and McInnis.

amended, and who are now or may hereafter be actually engaged in any capacity in the operation of trains used for the transportation of persons or property, except railroads independently owned and operated not exceeding one hundred miles in length, electric street railways, and electric interurban railroads from any state or territory of the United States or the District of Columbia to any other state or territory of the United States or the District of Columbia or from one place in a territory to another place in the same territory, or from any place in the United States to an adjacent foreign country, or from any place in the United States through a foreign country to any other place in the United States: Provided, That the above exceptions shall not apply to railroads, though less than 100 miles in length, whose principal business is leasing or furnishing terminal transfer facilities to other railroads or are themselves engaged in transfers of freight between railroads or between railroads and industrial plants.

Section 2.—That the President shall appoint a commission of three, which shall observe the operation and effects of the institution of the 8-hour standard work day as above defined and the facts and conditions affecting the relations between such common carriers and employees during a period of not less than six months nor more than nine months, in the discretion of the commission and within thirty days thereafter such commission shall report its findings to the President and Congress; that each member of the commission created under the provisions of this act shall receive such compensation as may be fixed by the President. That the sum of \$25,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary, and he hereby is appropriated, out of any money in the United States Treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the necessary and proper expenses incurred in connection with the work of such commission, including salaries, per diem, traveling expenses or members and employees and rent, furniture, office fixtures and supplies, books, salaries, and other necessary expenses, the same to be approved by the proper accounting offices of the Treasury.

Section 3.—That pending the report of the commission herein provided for for a period of thirty days thereafter the compensation of railway employees subject to this act for a standard 8-hour work day shall not be reduced below the present standard day's wage and for all necessary time in excess of eight hours such employees shall be paid a rate not less than the pro rata rate for such standard 8-hour work day.

Section 4.—That any person violating any provision of this act shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction shall be fined not less than \$100 and not more than \$1,000 or imprisoned not to exceed one year, or both.

## Durham Newspaper Man Is Acquitted

CO-DEFENDANT IN CASE OF AFFRAY IS FINED—SEEKS TO INDICT MRS. W. W. WEAVER FOR ASSAULT.

(Special Star Telegram.) Durham, N. C., Sept. 2.—W. W. Weaver, business manager of the Durham Sun, and T. B. Walker, a local paper hanger, were tried in recorder's court this morning for an affray. The former was discharged and the latter fined, although Walker showed the court an arm that had almost been broken by a baseball bat in the hands of Weaver.

Immediately after the trial Walker made an effort to get a warrant for Mrs. W. W. Weaver on the grounds that she struck him with the bat after administering him a beating. The warrant was refused and Walker showed a bruised back to Solicitor Sam Gattis and asked his advice. According to Walker, Gattis advised him to wait six months and carry the matter before the grand jury and ask for a true bill. Bun Morgan, a young negro man, was struck and instantly killed by a Seaboard freight a few hundred yards east of the city early tonight. The freight was pushing a caboose it had picked up at the East Durham siding and this struck Morgan, dragging him

## GREATEST DEMOCRATIC RALLY IN FORTY YEARS

To be Held in Lumberton Next Saturday, September 9.

Lindsay Russell Native Robesonian, and Former Wilmingtonian—New Hotel Is the "Lorraine"—Recruiting Office Opened.

(Special Star Correspondence.) Lumberton, N. C., September 2.—Next Saturday, September 9th, is the date set for the great Democratic rally in Robeson, the event taking place in Lumberton. Governor Stuart, of Virginia, has accepted an invitation and will speak here that day. Governor Craig is also expected to be here, as well as other noted speakers. With good weather conditions it will be the greatest gathering of Democrats seen in Robeson since Vance and Settle spoke here in 1876, just forty years ago.

It's going to be a Democratic revival, as it were. These already strong in the faith will be made stronger; the luke-warm will be revived and many Republicans are going to be converted. Everybody is invited to come, regardless of past or present political faith.

Governor Stuart is one of Virginia's leading farmers and cattle raisers. He is regarded as one of the leading figures in Virginia politics, having the implicit confidence of his people.

The papers are telling about Lindsay Russell, the New York lawyer, although a Republican, declaring for President Wilson. Those who know Lindsay Russell are not surprised. He was born and spent his early life in Robeson, near Maxton, and Mr. A. W. McLean being raised within a mile or so of each other. We knew him in Wilmington over twenty years ago, while he resided there with his uncle, the late Gov. D. L. Russell, and if he conducts himself now as then, he is among the best in New York. He was a brother of the late Dr. Frank Russell, of Wilmington. Mr. Russell spent a day or two visiting Mr. McLean in Lumberton some months ago. The old Robesonians love to read and hear of the great success of the boys who have left home and become prominent and prosperous in other places.

A two weeks' term of civil court will convene here Monday with Judge Winston presiding. The calendar contains no case of much importance, and it is not expected the term will last through the first week. Strange as it may seem, there are not over half dozen railroad cases, none of which are against the S. A. L. V. & C. R. or R. & C. a most remarkable thing.

**An Incident By the Way.**

One morning this week when the Seaboard passenger train from Charlotte arrived at Laurel Hill a lady passenger leaving the train to get her hand satchel. When the train arrived at Laurinburg the conductor was handed a telegram, asking him to look for it. He and the agent went through the car searching and asking other passengers about the lost article, but it could not be located. When the train left Laurinburg a passenger quietly told the conductor that another passenger wearing a uniform moved over to the seat occupied by the lady as soon as she left the train and was sitting on the satchel. The conductor immediately went to the man in the uniform and asked him what he did with the lady's satchel. He had the cheek to ask the conductor for the lady's name. The man with the punch told the man in the uniform it mattered not what her name was, that he wanted to know what became of the satchel. It was then discovered down in the corner of the seat next to the side of the car and had found its way under the coat of the man in uniform. The conductor was not a soldier, he was not an officer of any kind, and he does not belong to the Salvation Army. He carries a permit, such as is given annually by the railroads to ministers of the gospel, giving them the right to preach. This impostor, or fakir or fraud, or if there is anything worse, who sat down on the lady's hand satchel, left the train at Lumberton a few weeks ago and had something to say about hobo preachers on the street, and he is one of the class we had reference to. Many citizens in this section prefer the air thrown away on him to be used otherwise. We don't need this individual.

**Up-to-Date Ginners.** Mr. M. A. Geddie now has his cotton gin in operation at his mill in the northern part of town. Inspection of the V. C. S. and Elizabethtown public roads. Mr. Geddie has one of the most complete and up-to-date ginning plants in this section, with a capacity of 40 bales per day. The building is as near fireproof as could be made, and everything is operated by electricity. The gin is so arranged that the cotton seed are conveyed to a seed house near the railroad track or they can be carried right into freight cars. Few people here have any idea of what a complete plant Mr. Geddie has. Besides ginning cotton he operates a grist mill, coal and wood yards, and a grocery store. It is a convenient place for the farmers to get their cotton ginned, corn ground, sell their produce, etc. Mr. Geddie is one of the best citizens and business men of this section and certainly is entitled to the liberal patronage he is receiving. By next season he proposes to have in operation at his present place of business an ice plant with sufficient capacity to take care of this place, with much to spare outside.

The contract was let this week for water extension on several streets in town, the work to begin just as soon as material can be placed on the ground. This is right, as it will give many people the benefit of water who have not had it heretofore although paying bond tax. But it is or should be understood that this work is being done at the earliest possible date.

**The Hotel "Lorraine."** "Lorraine" is the name which has been bestowed upon the new hotel, and it seems to meet the approval of the public generally. It is a building the hotel, and the few objections made to the plans, etc., came from hot air artists. We did hear one of the stockholders rapping the other day, and we became so deeply interested in his remarks of wisdom that we actually (Continued on Page Fifteen.)

**Hear the Concert Tonight.** at the Harbor Island Auditorium. No charge for admission. (advertisement)

# SPEND LABOR DAY AT LUMINA

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WILMINGTON BOYS AT CAMP GLENN ENJOYING THE LIFE Looking for Boys From Home Monday. Recruits Arriving Daily.

(Special Star Correspondence.) Camp Glenn, N. C., Sept. 2.—All the members of Endicott Company A are hoping their friends in Wilmington will take advantage of the low rates to New Bern on Labor Day and run down from there and see the tented city. Several trains will be operated from New Bern to Camp Glenn Monday.

Some of the boys here have been somewhat uneasy on account of the threatened railroad strike. There are a good many camp men in Camp and they said that it would have looked bad for them if they had had to ride on a "scab" train. All have been hoping that the strike would be averted. Yesterday was wash day at the camp. Everybody was busy washing out their quarters today and everything had to be in good shape. A big wrestling match is planned for some time next week between Louis Hill, of Wilmington, and Henry Paul, of Winston. This will be a good match. Both men will enter the ring at 155 pounds. The toe and strangle holds will be barred.

**MALE STENOGRAPHERS WANTED.**

Government Soon to Have Places for 200 of Them—Examinations. Washington, Sept. 2.—Two hundred male stenographers are soon to be in demand by the Government at salaries paying from \$900 to \$1,900 a year. Examinations are to be held in North Carolina September 12 and September 26, at the following towns: Asheville, Charlotte, Elizabeth City, Goldsboro, Farris 10c Pullman bread. It makes delicious toast. (advertisement)

**ATTENTION JUNIORS.**

All members of Jeff Davis and George Washington Councils, Junior Order of United American Mechanics, and visiting brothers, are requested to assemble on the west side of Third street, between Princess and Chestnut, not later than nine o'clock Monday morning, September 4th, 1916, to take part in Labor Day parade.

HARDY LANIER, Chairman Joint Committee.

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GAME FROM ATHLETICSRed Sox Are Victorious Over the  
Yankees, 5 to 3.Indians are Winners Over the Browns.  
Tigers are Victorious Over the  
White Sox in Close Game  
at Detroit.RESULTS YESTERDAY  
At New York 2; Boston 5.  
At Cleveland 1; St. Louis 4.  
At Washington 7; Philadelphia 6.  
At Detroit 2; Chicago 1.WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY  
Chicago at St. Louis.  
Cleveland at Detroit.

| STANDING OF THE CLUBS | W  | L  | Pct. |
|-----------------------|----|----|------|
| Boston                | 12 | 13 | .476 |
| Detroit               | 11 | 14 | .438 |
| Chicago               | 9  | 16 | .357 |
| St. Louis             | 9  | 16 | .357 |
| Cleveland             | 8  | 17 | .320 |
| New York              | 6  | 19 | .231 |
| Washington            | 6  | 19 | .231 |
| Philadelphia          | 5  | 20 | .200 |

Washington, Sept. 2.—Washington defeated Philadelphia today 7 to 6 in an 11-inning game. Foster's miff of an easy pop fly in the eighth allowed the visitors to tie the score and brought Gallia in to relieve Harper. In the 11th McBride was hit by a pitched ball and went around on a sacrifice and hits by Gallia and Foster.

Philadelphia, 120 000 030 00—6 13 2  
Washington, 400 010 100 01—7 9 2  
Sheehan and Pichich; Harper, Gallia and Gharthy.

New York, Sept. 2.—Boston defeated New York today 5 to 3. Before Foster was taken out of the box in the sixth inning, he had allowed 12 clear hits and two passes but he held New York to three runs. Leonard did not permit a New York player to reach first base for the remainder of the game.

Boston, 020 120 001—5 10 0  
New York, 001 002 000—3 12 2  
Foster, Leonard and Carrigan; Mordridge and Walters.

Cleveland, Sept. 2.—With St. Louis leading by a score of 4 to 3 in the ninth, Cleveland won out in the final round 5 to 4. Wambogans singled, Gandel sacrificed and Moeller singled, scoring Wambogans. He scored on Chapman's single to left.

St. Louis, 000 210 010—4 14 1  
Cleveland, 000 000 002—5 9 2  
Boehlin, Coveloskie and O'Neill; Davenport, Groves and Severold and Hartley.

Detroit, Sept. 2.—A single with one out in the 10th gave Detroit a 2 to 1 victory over Chicago here today. Coveloskie and Russell pitched brilliant ball and each was supported splendidly. Manager Rowland, of Chicago, was put off the field for disputing a decision in the 10th inning.

Chicago, 000 000 1000—1 8 0  
Detroit, 000 000 000—2 9 2  
Russell and Schalk; Coveloskie and Spencer.

MAXWELL ON LONG TRIP.  
Famous Car Now on Journey to Help National Defense Movement.

The non-stop Maxwell, the car that holds the world's record of 22,042 miles continuous travel without a stop of the motor is engaged in a mission of national importance and the trip will carry it from Tia Juana, Mexico, to Vancouver, Canada, and return.

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The highway between Mexico and Canada generally followed by motorists is inland for almost the entire distance. The coast road north has been neglected, mainly because the population is so scattered that it has been impossible to yield sufficient influence for a boulevard system that would make all-year-round travel feasible.

Road will be forged.  
The necessity for developing this coast road has been pointed out innumerable times by military experts and one of the first important items in making our west coast safe against foreign invasion is to place the roads in such condition that troops and heavy armament could be moved expeditiously in motor trucks and automobiles.

Every detail of topography is being carefully noted by the Maxwell party. The road is being mapped and a report will be submitted to the Federal authorities and to the officials of the states through which the tour extends.

## NEW AUTO SUPPLY BUSINESS

Accessory Store Opened by W. D. MacMillan, Jr., and Salesroom Being Fitted Up—Lines Carried.

The automobile fraternity locally and throughout this section of the State will be interested in the announcement that W. D. MacMillan, Jr., the well-known Packard, Buick and Dodge dealer in this territory, has opened at 112 North Second street, an up-to-date accessory store as a separate and complete department of his general auto business at 103-110 North Second, which headquarters are also being enlarged and greatly improved in connection with the change.

Mr. Bruce B. Cameron, general manager of the MacMillan agency, is in charge of the new accessory store, while Mr. MacMillan will continue his own office at the old stand, which is being remodeled and improved by the addition of offices and complete show rooms for all the cars handled by him. The garage will be one of the largest in North Carolina and it is Manager Cameron's purpose to make the accessory store one of the most complete and up-to-date in several states. The business of the City Livery Company will be continued in the rear of the same stand with Mr. A. Carpenter in charge.

Mr. Cameron will carry in the new store a complete line of accessories of all kinds for the automobile and will make a specialty of Ajax tires, Ford and Dodge parts of every description, carrying a large stock of each at all times. Complete in every way will be the department of the new store devoted to springs for every make and model of machine. There will be maintained also in connection with the accessory store the Willard battery service station for this territory with Mr. DeRonde, an expert battery man, in charge. This Willard service is known all over the world and the station here will be one of several all over the United States.

The new store was opened on September 1st and already Mr. Cameron is having many callers at his new headquarters.

## MINOR LEAGUES.

CAROLINA LEAGUE  
At Raleigh 4; Asheville 0.  
At Winston-Salem 5; Greensboro 2.VIRGINIA LEAGUE  
At Norfolk 0-0; Newport News 3-2.  
At Petersburg 5-4; Rocky Mount 2-1.  
No other scheduled.SOUTH ATLANTIC LEAGUE  
At Jacksonville 1; Columbus 6.  
At Augusta 4; Charleston 6.  
At Columbia 4; Macon 8.SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION  
At Atlanta 9; Birmingham 0.  
At New Orleans 4; Mobile 3.  
At Chattanooga 0-3; Memphis 3-4.  
At Nashville 5; Little Rock 12.AMERICAN ASSOCIATION  
At Louisville 1; Toledo 0.  
At Kansas City 6; Milwaukee 3.  
At Indianapolis 3; Columbus 0.  
At St. Paul 2; Minneapolis 5.INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE  
At Toronto 9-2; Newark 6-4.  
At Montreal 7-10; Richmond 4-5.  
At Buffalo 7-4; Providence 2-8.  
At Rochester 3-14; Baltimore 1-6.

## CLAY PIGEON SHOOT

Big Meet at Asheville This Month.  
Five States Represented.  
Asheville, N. C., Sept. 2.—Trapshooters from Asheville, and from the two Carolinas, Georgia, Tennessee and Virginia, have already entered for the registered clay pigeon shoot to be held here Friday, September 8, under the auspices of the University Club. The matches will be shot at the club traps, in Kenilworth Park. Five handsome cups, in addition to cash prizes, have attracted a large number of professional and amateur shooters, and it is expected that from 65 to 75 marksmen will take part.

Charles O. Le Compte, of this city, expert shot and representative of the DuPont Powder Company, will have charge of the match for the club. The shoot will be held under the sanction of the Interstate Association, the rules of which will govern the match. All arrangements for the match will be left in charge of Mr. LeCompte.

Visitors will be given a chance to get the bearings of the traps and range over the course on Thursday, the practice day. The main shoot on the day following will continue all day, and the University Club will serve luncheon to the shooters. This is the first registered shoot to be held in Asheville in many years, and trapshooters are eagerly anticipating it.

## SEVEN AND ONE-HALF EQUALS 12

Amazing Sales Increases Recorded by United States Tire Company.  
"We have made 7 1/2 equal 12," said Mr. J. N. Gunn, president of the United States Tire Company, in speaking of the sales records of his organization.

"At midnight, on August 15th, our sales of tires had passed those for the entire years of 1915. In other words, the total sales of United States tires for the first seven and one-half months of 1916 more than equaled those for the entire year of 1915.

This is largely due to the fact that in the manufacture and distribution of their tires, the United States Tire Company has made an extensive study of the tire needs of car owners in the various localities.

BRAVES LOSE FIRST  
GAME TO THE GIANTSSecond Contest Called at Dark  
With the Score 5 to 5.Pirates Divide Honors With Reds—Cardinals and Cubs Each Win a Game.  
Phillies Take Another from the Superbas.RESULTS YESTERDAY  
At Pittsburgh 4-2; Cincinnati 3-7.  
At Boston 1-5; New York 4-5.  
At St. Louis 7-4; Chicago 3-5.  
At Philadelphia 1; Brooklyn 1.WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY  
Pittsburgh at Cincinnati.  
St. Louis at Chicago.

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| Brooklyn              | 12 | 13 | .476 |
| Philadelphia          | 11 | 14 | .438 |
| New York              | 9  | 16 | .357 |
| Pittsburgh            | 8  | 17 | .320 |
| St. Louis             | 6  | 19 | .231 |
| Chicago               | 6  | 19 | .231 |
| Cincinnati            | 5  | 20 | .200 |

Boston, Sept. 2.—New York won the first game of today's double header 5 to 1 and fought the Braves ten innings to a tie in the second contest, called on account of darkness with the score 5 to 5. In the first game Gowdy was put out for disputing a decision at first base. Manager McMurra was put off the field in the second contest for disputing a called strike.

New York, 031 000 000—4 10 0  
Boston, 010 000 000—1 2 2  
Perritt, Sallee and Hardin; Tyler, Reubach and Gowdy and Blackburn.

Philadelphia, Sept. 2.—Philadelphia made it three straight over Brooklyn by winning today's game 4 to 1. Cheney was knocked off the rubber in five innings, all of the home team's runs being made off him. Smith was safe by four times. Demaree held Brooklyn to five hits and was given splendid support.

Brooklyn, 000 000 100—1 5 0  
Philadelphia, 000 130 008—4 9 8  
Cheney, Smith and Miller; Demaree and Burns.

St. Louis, Sept. 2.—St. Louis split even with Chicago today, winning the first 7 to 4 and losing the second 4 to 4. E. Williams homered with two bases full in the fifth inning of the second game put Chicago ahead. He clinched the victory for the visitors with another home run in the eighth.

St. Louis, 000 000 210—3 8 1  
Chicago, 000 050 022—7 8 4  
Carter, Vaughn and Archer and Wilson; Watson and Gonzales.

Second game:  
Chicago, 100 030 01—5 9 1  
St. Louis, 000 300 01—4 7 1  
Hendrix, Prendergast and Wilson; R. Williams and Gonzales.

Pittsburgh, Sept. 2.—Hinchman's terrific drive in the sixth of the first game of today's double header with Cincinnati was the longest hit ever made in the Forbes field and netted two runs. Pittsburgh won the first game 4 to 2. In the second Evans was hit hard and Cincinnati won 7 to 2.

Cincinnati, 012 000 000—3 10 1  
Pittsburgh, 000 002 02—4 8 1  
Knetzer and Wingo; Harmon and Fischer.

## THE BATTING LEADERS.

Going to bat nine times during a double header and getting four safe hits Hal Chase increased his batting average three points yesterday, and now is but one point behind Daubert, leading batsman of the National League.

Daubert was not in the game today. Wagner, who was hit by a pinch and got a hit, noosing Hornsby, who did not play, out of third place. Robertson made two hits in nine times at bat.

Speaker got one hit in three times up which did not change his average, but Cobb, who is pressing him for American League honors, lost a point when he hit only once in four times up. Jackson gained one by getting two hits out of four times at bat. The standings:

## GIANTS MOVE UP TO TOP EAST WILMINGTON WINS CUP

Newcomers Take First Place by Trouncing W. L. L.—Boswell's Shoots Too Much for Immanuel.

|              | W | L | Pct. |
|--------------|---|---|------|
| Giants       | 8 | 7 | .533 |
| Boys Brigade | 9 | 9 | .500 |
| Immanuel     | 8 | 8 | .500 |
| W. L. L.     | 7 | 8 | .467 |

Taking the place and the record of the Delgado team, the Giants made their debut in the City League yesterday afternoon and celebrated their arrival by trouncing the W. L. L. 6 to 2. In the second game of a twin bill at the Robert Strange playgrounds. In the opening game the Boys Brigade whitewashed the Immanuel to the tune of 5 to 0.

The first game was simply a case of too much Boswell. The Churchmen were unable to connect with the slippery slants of the Young Americans' star slinger at critical times, consequently a new team is on top of the heap this morning. The Brigadiers scored in the first frame on Snakenburg's smash with Davis on base. In the third Jacobs mistook his opponents for a charitable association, and issued free transportation to both Register and Snakenburg, then Mints got an infield single and Davis piled one that registered two of the Brigade runners at home, sweet home.

The Brigade annexed two more in the fifth as a result of Jacobs' boot, a hit by Mints, and a passed ball. Their last tally came in the ninth and was the consequence of hits by Davis and Shepherd. Boswell scalped seven of the Churchmen, while Jacobs devastated nine of the Young Americans. The second battle was featured by the home run drive of N. Shepherd, with first base densely populated in the third inning. Both Corbett and Yates served to a nice article of ball, but the breaks of the game went against the Soldiers' slaban. He bressed 11 of the Newcomers, however, while his opponent was able to cut but nine notches in the hit of his strike out gun. Three of Yates' victims were turned up their toes in one, two, three order in the last inning. Jones and Register of the winners pulled a fast double play.

First game:  
Boys Brigade, 102 020 001—6 6 7  
Immanuel, 000 000 000—0 7 5  
Boswell and Griffith; Jacobs and Gerdes. Umpire, Van Landingham.

Second game:  
022 101 000—6 6 5  
W. L. L., 000 100 010—2 7 3  
Yates and Griffith; Corbett and Bell. Umpire, Van Landingham.

## DIRECTORY OF AUTO OWNERS

Raleigh Times Issues Valuable Publication of Interest to State.  
The Star has received the initial volume of the North Carolina Automobile Directory, published by the Raleigh Times, of Raleigh, N. C.

There are two editions of the directory, the classified edition selling for two dollars per copy and the state edition at one dollar. Both books contain names and addresses of 26,000 registered owners of motor vehicles in this State. The make of car and license number are given with each owner's name. In the classified edition, the names of owners are arranged by counties and towns while the arrangement in the State edition is by numerical sequence of registration numbers.

One section of the book gives data regarding the principal touring routes with complete road directions and speedometer readings between towns. Both books are well printed in legible type on heavy book paper and they satisfy for the first time a pressing demand for such information as they contain.

Free Concert Tonight  
at Harbor Island Auditorium by the Don Richardson Orchestra. Night concert will be given at Auditorium instead of at Lumina. Afternoon concert at Lumina as usual. (advertisement)

Down Cuba in Third and Final Game for the Possession of the Beach Trophy Cup.  
A combination of hits and errors in the sixth inning proved too much for the Cubs at Hilton Park yesterday afternoon, and East Wilmington won the third and last game of the Beach Cup series by a score of 4 to 1. Until the sixth inning the game was a pitchers' battle between Pearsall and Casteen, and the issue was in doubt until the fatal sixth.

Pearsall twirled a fine game and was accorded excellent support. Casteen was also in good trim but the bunching of hits by his opponents spelled defeat for him. The champions were weakened by the absence of their star battery, Horns and Wilson. By winning this game the silver cup donated by the A. J. Reach Co. of Philadelphia, becomes the property of the East Wilmington team. The box score follows:

|                 | AB | R | H | E |
|-----------------|----|---|---|---|
| Walsak, c.      | 3  | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| V. Pearsall, 2b | 4  | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| S. Jones, ss-p  | 4  | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Barlow, lf      | 3  | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Shannon, 1b     | 4  | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| C. Pearsall, p  | 3  | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| P. Jones, cf    | 4  | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Greenwald, 3b   | 4  | 0 | 1 | 3 |
| Strickland, rf  | 3  | 0 | 0 | 0 |

Totals, 33 4 7 2

|             | AB | R | H | E |
|-------------|----|---|---|---|
| Futrell, 2b | 4  | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Bremer, rf  | 4  | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Childs, 3b  | 4  | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Rich, lf    | 3  | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Sweeney, ss | 4  | 0 | 3 | 1 |
| Gordon, cf  | 3  | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Todd, c     | 4  | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Casteen, p  | 4  | 0 | 0 | 0 |

Totals, 33 1 6 4

E. Wilmington, 000 013 000—4  
Cubs, 000 100 000—1  
Summary—Two base hit, O. Pearsall; stolen bases, Walsak 2, O. Pearsall 1; base on balls, off Pearsall 4; struck out, by Pearsall 5, by Jones 2, by Casteen 2; hit by pitched ball, Walsak, Barlow; time, 1:45; umpire, Mr. Hurt; attendance, 350.

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## TOP OF THE MORNING.

Ring dear old Church Bell! Call  
them in! Call and call again! From  
the lonely heights, in the clear blue  
sky, or under the lowering clouds  
let thy sweet voice tell the won-  
derous story of the infinite, won-  
derful, patient love waiting to bless  
them, if only they will come.

Remind them of the purpose for  
which they were created, to worship  
and serve God, and that surely a  
day has lost its greatest value  
which has not seen them kneeling  
in their Father's house.

—ZORR, in "The Living Church"

How would you have settled the  
strike? Don't ask at once.

It requires grit for us to stand by  
our guns, but we have to have our  
nerves with us when we stand by our  
sons-of-guns.

The way you think would have averted  
the strike may be all right in theory  
and even in principle, but do you know  
it would have averted an imminent na-  
tional calamity?

A contemporary notes that Judge  
Hughes "falls loudly for co-operation  
and efficiency." Well, if he hasn't got  
all he wants, nobody can blame him  
for calling for it.

Somebody is afraid of Judge Hughes  
because he talks like he would fight.  
Huh! Don't mind what a fellow says  
unless he can prove that he has been  
in a fight and enjoyed it.

It's too late for any of us to tell  
all about the way we could have settled  
the strike. After the other fellow does  
something, we are liable to think we  
know some other way to do it.

Now is the time to sell the eggs of  
the auk. They are quoted at \$42,000 per  
dozen. It's just our luck not to  
know of the whereabouts of an auk's  
nest, but we are constantly stumbling  
into a maresnest, in which the sand-  
man is laying for us.

The doctors say that whiskey is no  
remedy for snake bite, but probably  
those doctors have never known what  
it is to see as many snakes as some  
whose confidence in the remedy can't  
be shaken by allopathic allegations.

The appropriation for Secretary  
Daniel's new navy is \$313,354,353.24.  
Congressman Gardner has been mess-  
ing around in naval matters recently  
and pretending to know more than  
anybody else about it, but he does not  
know enough to tell us what the Sam  
Hill that 24 cents is for.

Judge Hughes is playing with a rat-  
tle that is loaded with such small  
things as our foreign policy and the  
tariff. He ought to get in on some-  
thing big like our own domestic rela-  
tions, the crisis in which more deeply  
concerns the American people than  
those questions which he handles on  
the stump only.

The Jacksonville Times-Union makes  
these few remarks: "Two American  
schooners have been seized by the En-  
glish, but that's nothing to the number  
of American schooners that are seized  
in Jacksonville every day." That's in  
the nature of an inducement but it  
does not smack of a call for help to  
get the schooners off the bar. We  
hear not the S. O. S. call.

The European war has become so  
large that the newspapers strategists  
are not in a position to grasp the sit-  
uation. Most of them have never been  
on the ground, but that does not make  
any difference to a newspaper strat-  
egist. He depends on maps that make  
the military authorities laugh and  
makes his analysis of the situation  
from censored dispatches, in which one  
fellow tells what he has done to the  
other but never tells what the other  
fellow has been doing to him. We  
might as well sit down and wait till  
the war is over, and then we can get  
some news concerning the war.

## INDUSTRIAL EFFICIENCY.

Industrial efficiency is one thing  
that depends upon the genius, capabil-  
ity and intelligence of our captains of  
industry, so all the government has to  
do is to encourage it and urge more of  
it. That is what the Democratic ad-  
ministration has been doing all this  
time. It has an efficiency board at  
work on efficiency, and it is a splendid  
idea. It is such a good one that Judge  
Hughes is telling the people out West  
that what this country needs is co-  
operation and efficiency, holding out  
the idea that the Republican party can  
be depended upon for it. That is a new  
idea for the Republicans, for they never  
thought of it when they were in power.  
The Democrats did, for they actu-  
ally set on foot a co-operation and  
efficiency movement among American  
industries.

Secretary Daniels told the people in  
one of his speeches up in Maine that  
American industries were already noted  
for their efficiency, but that the aim  
of the Wilson administration was to  
extend and promote efficiency on the  
broadest possible scale. Since the  
Democrats have been in power there  
has been no relapse of industrial effi-  
ciency. On the contrary, the industrial  
establishments of the United States  
have greatly enlarged the scope of  
their efficiency. They are turning out  
more products than they ever did in  
the history of this country. Last year  
they exported nearly \$2,000,000,000  
worth of their products, more, by far,  
than in any year since America was  
put on the map by Columbus. This  
country also is manufacturing goods  
that it never made before, and mil-  
lions of dollars have been put into fac-  
tories to make articles heretofore  
made exclusively in Europe and imported  
by us. That would seem to indicate  
very clearly that our genius for manu-  
facturing has increased while Wilson  
has been President. As a matter of  
fact, foreign countries are taking us  
as a shining example in manufactur-  
ing efficiency, hence the Norfolk Vir-  
ginian-Pilot is moved to observe:

"It is really inconsiderate of Aus-  
tralia to be sending a commission to the  
United States to study industrial effi-  
ciency at a time when the Republic  
organ and orators are trying to de-  
lude the country into believing that  
we are so far behind the rest of the  
world in that regard that nothing  
short of prohibitive tariff protec-  
tion will avail to prevent our markets  
from being flooded with the cheap  
products of foreign mills and fac-  
tories as soon as the world's peace shall  
have been restored. To think that  
have waited until that insult to Ameri-  
can ingenuity, American enterprise,  
and American labor had been prop-  
riety answered, as it will be in Novem-  
ber, by the re-commissioning of the  
Democratic administration."

Why, even the world recognizes the  
efficiency of our industries, for they  
have never been so technically great  
and enormously productive as now. The  
Republicans have an idea that they  
need protection to prevent European  
manufacturers from running them out  
of their home market, but there is no  
danger of that so long as our home  
industries have gotten bolder and in-  
vaded foreign markets with more of  
their goods than used to be shipped in  
several years under Republican ad-  
ministrations.

Talking about industrial efficiency  
does not fool anybody. The manufac-  
turers are on the job. They will in-  
crease their efficiency every year,  
whether the Republicans or the Demo-  
crats are in power. Judge Hughes  
can tell them about the law, but what  
does he know about manufacturing in-  
dustries compared with the men who  
are operating them? What has polit-  
ics to do with the technical knowl-  
edge that manufacturers are acquiring  
every year? Indeed, they are so busy  
attending to their own lines and mak-  
ing their factories more efficient that  
they haven't time to give heed to mere  
political ideas of efficiency. The man-  
ufacturers know more in a minute  
about their own business than politi-  
cians will ever know this side of when-  
ever they are going.

Electrical efficiency, for instance,  
has marvelously increased in this  
country, while politics has been a fat-  
tering process with the Republicans. The  
same can be said about the efficiency  
of all technical lines. All the while,  
politics ought to get itself some effi-  
ciency and get itself out of the class  
that calls for corrupt practices acts by  
Congress and the state legislatures.

## THE NATION'S RICHES GROW.

With erstwhile calamity howlers run-  
ning a campaign and talking about  
prosperity, some time in the future,  
the Nation has never experienced the  
like in its present growth of wealth.  
No nation on earth ever saw the like,  
and as the Star has often pointed out,  
the law of supply and demand ac-  
counts for prosperity and it comes and  
goes instead of the false Republican  
idea that Republicanism holds prosper-  
ity in both hands. The fact is, the  
Democrats will have to use a barrel  
if it keeps up very long. Editor Theo.  
H. Price, of Commerce and Finance, a  
very keen economist and able writer,  
wrote a leading editorial in his maga-  
zine of the 30th ult., on that very sub-  
ject of law of supply and demand. He  
discusses the present and forecasts  
for the future in his own way to warn  
the people against wild speculation.  
Pointing out the marvelous increase  
of the Nat on's wealth at this time, he  
says:

"The thoughtful man is likely to  
become serious as he contemplates the  
recent movements and present tem-  
per of the stock and commodity mar-  
kets. Current prices for the securities  
quoted on the New York Stock Ex-  
change show an appreciation during  
the last 30 days that runs into figures  
that are beyond our comprehension. In

United States Steel Common alone the  
advance is equal to over \$50,000,000 on  
the entire issue outstanding. Some-  
thing over \$150,000,000 has been added  
to the quoted value of a 12,000,000  
bale cotton crop and the wheat crop,  
estimated at 654,000,000 bushels, is now  
selling at prices which if realized will  
yield about \$120,000,000 more than the  
same crop would have brought one  
month ago. In these three items alone  
something over \$300,000,000 has been  
added to the market value of Ameri-  
can property. If the comparison  
could be extended to include everything  
habitually bought and sold in this  
country, the showing would run into  
the billions and the increase would ex-  
ceed the much vaunted \$2,134,000,000  
that represents our balance of trade  
for the last fiscal year."

We use the exact words of Com-  
merce and Finance in order to give  
emphasis to the authority—one of New  
York's leading financial publications.  
The increase of the South's wealth  
jumped up \$150,000,000 in a month's  
time on the cotton crop alone, and  
when one considers the increase on  
tobacco in the South and all other  
lines throughout the whole country,  
its growth of wealth really is incon-  
ceivable. It almost alarms Editor  
Price and he points the moral of it in  
a warning that the people should not  
go wild on speculation.

## A GREAT HOG COUNTRY

While the South has been buying its  
meat from Chicago and Kansas City,  
it has been possible for the South to  
raise all its own meat six times cheap-  
er than Western pork has cost the cot-  
ton growers of the South. That dis-  
covery has been made, and the facts  
are almost incredible. Mr. George W.  
Corbett, of Fender county, near Wil-  
mington, is one of the many who have  
proven what we say. Last year he  
produced 4,500 pounds of pork on his  
farm near Currie, N. C., and he made  
the astonishing statement to us that  
his expense for hog production was so  
small that it seemed absurd.

Nevertheless, the Fender county  
farmer says it cost him less than \$60  
to produce 4,500 pounds of meat. That  
cost was for seeds for planting and  
slaughtering the hogs which he fat-  
tened in his pastures. He made a  
profit on the crops taken from his  
land and then turned in his cattle and  
hogs to get what remained. He de-  
pends chiefly upon corn, beans, pota-  
toes and peanuts for his pork and  
hardens the meat by feeding once a  
day during the fattening season. He  
raises two crops of peanuts in one  
season, and plants his last crop as a  
company crop with corn. He pastures  
his hogs in the corn field, and they  
feed on grass and peavine and  
peanut hay while the peanuts remain  
for his hogs. He actually has pro-  
duced his meat for less than two  
cents a pound, and while that seems  
almost unbelievable, here comes the  
Florida Times-Union with this story  
along the same line:

"Converting corn, peanuts, beans,  
potatoes and pasturage into pork is  
one of the best paying businesses in  
the country," declares the Milton Ga-  
zette. "In fact, it shows better prof-  
its than running a bank or almost  
any other business. It is estimated  
that pork can be produced in Florida  
at from 2-3 to 3 cents a pound and  
that it will bring an average of from  
six to eight cents a pound, the year  
around." The Gazette adds that one  
can figure it out and the best ad-  
vice it can give is to raise pork, not  
only for home use, but for the market.  
There is steady demand for meat and  
no possibility of raising too much.  
Florida has proved her capabilities  
and those who have gone into the busi-  
ness of raising pork have, with few  
exceptions, done well."

That confirms Mr. Corbett in the  
strongest possible way, and yet hog  
raising is made profitable in the West  
at a cost of from 5 to 6 cents a pound.  
Eastern North Carolina surely is the  
hog country of America and numerous  
farmers are proving it every year by  
just such a system as Mr. Corbett fol-  
lows on his farm.

## CURRENT COMMENT.

One of the leading paper experts in  
Pennsylvania declares that the day is  
coming when North Carolina will lead  
in the manufacture of paper. We only  
wish that there were about half a dozen  
mills in operation in this section  
just at this particular time.—New Ben  
Journal.

There are two classes of citizens in  
our midst—in almost every town—the  
kind that sit around a slouchy table,  
with a care-free and mind-less de-  
meanor, ever willing to jump upon  
somebody or something, criticising,  
knocking, flaying this or that move-  
ment or man, but who are not a bit  
human kindred with the worst of  
their acid natures. Then there's the  
other kind of citizen we're all so proud  
of—so glad to be associated with, so  
pleased to greet. This other kind—  
you know him when you see him—he  
is the fellow with a smile and a good  
word for every living thing—the kind  
of a man who believes in himself and  
has faith implicit in the future of his  
town. Posterity has given us nothing  
more magnificent in a century of time  
than this creation of the blending of  
those elements that our human kind,  
make the world better, brighter, our  
thoughts purer, our purposes more sub-  
lime. This kind of a man is ever pres-  
ent when any public movement for the  
common good is agitated. He is stirred  
to action by the common impulse of  
the higher morality, and he is the  
pilot wheel, his shoulders to the bur-  
den, his face to the east, for there lies  
the sun of another day, the dawn of a  
new era, the birth of a nobler resolu-  
tion.—Charlotte Observer.

The Miami Metropolis is authority for  
the statement that the stock industry  
of Dade county is to be increased by  
at least 20 per cent this fall by im-  
portations of cattle, both milk and  
range stock. On this subject the Me-  
tropolis says: "James Bright, of the  
Bright Bros. ranch and dairy farm,  
located about eight miles from the Miami  
canal, is now in the North buying a  
carload of the best Holstein heifers  
that he can find. It is the intention of  
the Brights to increase their herd until  
they have not less than 100 cows being  
milked every day. R. E. McDonald, of  
Fulford, is arranging to buy two car-  
loads of range cows this fall as well

as a thoroughbred Hereford bull. Dr.  
J. C. Dupuis, who has a large dairy  
farm northwest of Miami, will bring  
down a carload of blooded cattle this  
fall. It is reported that A. T. Carter  
is planning to buy a carload of milk  
cows for the purpose of starting a  
dairy near Kendall. M. A. Milam ex-  
pects to buy about 15 head of regis-  
tered Jerseys to add to his herd." Dr.  
Schofield, Miami's food and dairy in-  
spector, reports to the Metropolis that  
he believes that the dairy industry in  
Dade county will increase at a more  
rapid rate in the future than it has in  
the past. A splendid foundation has  
been laid for the future, by the pioneers  
who are now developing dairy farms.  
Some of the finest blooded stock to be  
found anywhere in the United States  
may be seen on Dade county's stock  
farms. The growing, says Dr. Scho-  
field, is to be intense upon not only  
building up their herds to a high point  
of excellence, but also on producing  
the best quality of milk.—Jacksonville  
Times-Union.

The political campaign is proceeding  
in fine shape in North Carolina, the in-  
terest of the people being shown in the  
big assemblies which have gathered to  
hear the issues presented by Demo-  
cratic nominees, and men prominent in  
the affairs of the party. From all the  
meetings thus far held there have come  
reports of great enthusiasm, and of  
addressers presenting such a high  
plane, and so filled with information as  
to impress the people. There will be a  
meeting of this character in Lumberton  
on the 8th of August. The pur-  
pose is to make the day one that will  
attract from all the surrounding terri-  
tory great throngs of people, the De-  
mocracy of Robeson planning to have  
such a meeting as will do part in the  
making of a great Democratic major-  
ity in that county this year. Fortu-  
nate in securing as the orator of the  
occasion a most distinguished official of  
another state it can be expected with  
confidence that there will be a great  
gathering of people in Lumberton on  
the 8th. The address will be delivered  
by Governor Henry Carter Stuart, of  
Virginia, a man of affairs, one whose  
identification with the business life of  
Virginia means that the people will  
hear an address that will be of value  
to all in attendance. Robeson county  
is to be congratulated in that its peo-  
ple are to hear the distinguished orator  
of Virginia at the big meeting at  
Lumberton. The high reputation of  
Governor Stuart should be the means  
of increasing the size of the crowd.  
And those who attend will hear of De-  
mocracy at its best.—Raleigh News and  
Observer.

**OFFICER A. L. LONG BREAKS UP  
DIAMOND SALESMAN'S WORK**  
Negro Peddler of Giant Sparklers Did  
Not Have a City License.

While the greater part of the colored  
population of Brooklyn were en-  
joying their regular weekly half-holiday  
yesterday afternoon, there appeared  
on the horizon of their settlement  
a dapper-looking colored gentleman,  
carrying a sample case, who radiated  
prosperity and contentment from the  
crown of his soft crush hat to the  
toes of his neatly polished English  
shoes.

He had not traversed the distance  
of many blocks before he had quite a  
following of idlers and pickaninies,  
who were eager to gratify their curiosi-  
ty by looking into the contents of his  
"nigger." As soon as a favorably sized  
collection of darktown citizens had  
collected, the stranger, stopped, opened  
his sample case, and announced to  
an admiring audience that he was a  
jewelry salesman, specializing in dia-  
monds. He backed up his claim by  
presenting for the inspection of the  
crowd, several stones having the ap-  
pearance of diamonds. He offered them  
for sale at a price that would have  
made Tiffany fall dead with surprise.

Unfortunately for him, however, be-  
fore he worked the assemblage up to  
the point where they were fighting for  
the opportunity of being the first pur-  
chaser, someone phoned to the police  
department informing them of the ac-  
tivities of this parambulating sparkle  
wagon, and Officer A. L. Long was sent  
to the scene.

When the officer asked for the ped-  
dler's license, he failed to produce it,  
so the officer closed his jewelry trans-  
actions, by giving him a ride in a clo-  
se, to the police station, where he  
now occupies a private chamber  
with grating windows. When question-  
ed he told several different stories, but  
finally asserted that his name was Mon-  
roe Richardson, of the city of Florence, S.  
C., was the place of his abode.

## TRIAL IS POSTPONED

Street Car Men to be Given Hearing  
Tuesday.

The cases of Mr. E. E. Page and Mr.  
J. J. Higgins, two employees of the  
Tidewater Power Company, who en-  
gaged in a fistfight at Front and Prin-  
cess streets on Friday night, and was  
continued until Tuesday, at yesterday  
morning's session of the Superior Court.  
Mr. Rodgers was represented by  
A. G. Ricard, Esq., while L. Clayton  
Grant, Esq., appeared for Mr. Page.

It is alleged that the trouble be-  
tween the two men began early night,  
when Rodgers, who is a non-violent  
man, is said to have had some difficulty  
with another of the street trawlers,  
Mr. J. B. Mercer, while on their way  
near Carolina Place. During their argu-  
ment, Rodgers struck Mercer with a  
stick Mr. Mercer with a door handle.  
Later after both men had returned from  
their run, Mr. Page, who is president  
of the local union of street car men,  
is alleged to have questioned Rodgers  
concerning the trouble at Carolina  
Place, and on receiving a sharp reply  
struck him with his fist. Mr. Rodgers,  
however, claims that Mr. Page used  
some heavy instrument in striking  
him.

## MR. GOVERNOR HAS RAPID RECOVERY FROM INJURIES

Made His First Appearance Downtown  
Yesterday Following Accident

The first appearance of Mr. M. F. H.  
Gouverneur on the city streets follow-  
ing the accident last Tuesday night,  
when his big touring car collided with  
a Carolina Place car, was a sight  
entirely new to the city. Mr. Gouverneur  
sustained painful injuries, was the signal  
for many sincere congratulations on  
the part of his friends on his rapid re-  
covery and his remarkable escape from  
serious injury.

On account of the fact that Mr. Gou-  
verneur was rendered unconscious by  
the collision and complained later of  
severe pains in the abdomen, grave  
fears were entertained in the night of  
the accident that the steering wheel  
against which he was hurled with great  
force might have caused internal in-  
jury. These fears are no longer en-  
tertained in view of the fact that Mr.  
Gouverneur is quite recovered with  
the exception that some little discom-  
fort from soreness about the body.

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## SUNDAY SERVICES

First Baptist church, corner 5th and  
Market, Rev. John Jeter Hurt, pastor.

—Preaching both morning and evening  
by the pastor. Subject at 11 o'clock,  
"The Success of Failure." The Failure of  
Success. Sunday school at 9:45  
o'clock. Junior Young People's Union  
will be organized at 4 o'clock. Senior  
Young People's Union will meet at 7  
o'clock. Visitors in the vicinity and at  
the beaches are invited to come and  
worship with us.

Christian church, Dock street, Rev.  
J. E. Reynolds, pastor.—Preaching in  
the morning at 11 and in the evening  
at 8. The evening service will be con-  
ducted by Rev. C. E. Immanuelson, of  
Ellenville, N. J. Subject: "The Road  
of Life." Morning services will be led  
by the pastor. Sunday school at 10  
o'clock. Christian Endeavor in the evening at  
7:15. Prayer meeting Wednesday night  
at 8. The public is cordially in-  
vited to attend all of these services.

St. Paul's Episcopal church, Six-  
teenth and Market streets, Rev. E.  
Jeff Heald, Jr., rector.—Holy Euchar-  
ist and sermon at 11.—"Work." Even-  
ing prayer and sermon at 8. All seats  
free. A cordial welcome to all who attend  
the services.

St. James' Episcopal church, Rev.  
W. H. Milton, D. D. rector, and Rev.  
George F. Hill, assistant.—Holy com-  
munion and sermon at 11 in the  
morning.

Cavalry Baptist church, Rev. J. A.  
Sullivan, pastor.—Sunday worship at 11  
in the morning and at 8 in the evening.  
Sermon subjects: "The Church's  
Chief Business" and "The Great I Am."  
Sunday school in the morning at 9:45.  
Junior H. Y. P. U. at 7:15 in the even-  
ing. Prayer meeting Wednesday night.  
Senior H. Y. P. U. Thursday night. Mu-  
sic class Friday night. A cordial wel-  
come to all services.

St. Paul's Lutheran church, Market  
and Sixth streets, Rev. F. B. Clausen,  
pastor.—Preaching in the morning at  
11. Subject: "The Tears of Jesus."  
The service will be in English. Sun-  
day school at 10 in the morning. No  
evening service. Visitors always wel-  
come.

St. Matthew's Evangelical Lutheran  
church, Fourth and Harnett streets,  
Rev. G. W. McClanahan, pastor.—  
Preaching by the pastor in the morn-  
ing at 11 and in the evening at 8.  
Subjects: "The Prayer Life" and "The  
Heart of Seeking God." Sunday school

## Unshaken Testimony

Time is the test of truth. And Doan's  
Kidney Pills have stood the test in Wil-  
mington. No Wilmington resident who  
suffers backache, or annoying urinary  
ills can remain unconvinced by this  
twice-told testimony.

L. H. Martin, grocer, Market and Ninth  
Sts., Wilmington, says: "My back was  
weak and lame and I had pains across  
my loins. The kidney secretions were  
highly colored, painful in passage and  
contained sediment. Doan's Kidney  
Pills, procured from Bellamy's Drug  
Store, cleared up the kidney secretions.  
I was also relieved of the aches and  
pains in my back and loins."  
(Statement given on February 25,  
1908.)

On April 5, 1915, Mr. Martin said: "As  
soon as I notice that my kidneys are  
not acting as they should, I take Doan's  
Kidney Pills for a few days and they  
never fail to do the work."  
Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't sim-  
ply ask for a kidney remedy—get  
Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr.  
Martin has twice publicly recommended.  
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Y.

In the morning at 10. A most cordial  
welcome extended all.

Seventh Day Adventist church,  
Fourth and Wright streets.—Church  
service each Sunday night at 8. Sab-  
bath school each Saturday morning at  
10 and preaching at 11. Prayer meet-  
ings each Wednesday night at 8.

St. Mary's Pro-Cathedral, Fifth Ave-  
nue and Ann streets.—First mass in  
the morning at 7. Last mass and ser-  
mon at 10:30. Vespers in the evening  
at 8.

Christian Science Society, church  
edifice Seventeenth and Market streets.  
—Services Sunday morning at 11. Sub-  
ject: "Man." Sunday school at 13:15.  
Testimonial meeting Wednesday at  
8:15. Free reading room in the mur-  
chison National Bank building, open  
daily, except Sunday and holidays,  
from 4 to 6:30 in the afternoon. The  
public is cordially invited to attend  
all services and to visit the reading  
room.

Winter Park Methodist church, Rev.  
J. Herbert Miller, pastor.—Preaching in  
the morning at 11. Sunday school at  
10. Everybody is invited to attend.  
Bladen Street Methodist church, Fifth  
and Bladen streets, Rev. J. F. Pate,  
pastor.—Preaching in the morning at  
11 and in the evening at 8. Sunday  
school at 3:30 in the afternoon. A  
warm welcome to all.

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at the Harbor Island Auditorium. No  
charge for admission. (advertisement)

## TALKS ON THRIFT

### THRIFT CAMPAIGN SERIES

#### THE WASTE OF MONEY

In the daily papers comes the story  
of the downfall of the widow of a  
prominent Wall Street man, who twice  
has been presented British Royalty,  
lived on Fifth Avenue, was a social  
leader and a woman of the four hun-  
dred. In the brief six years of her  
widowhood she has wasted a fortune  
of over one hundred thousand dollars  
and now faces the charge of passing  
a worthless check. She says she has  
made a "bad mistake," but did the  
"best she knew how" with her money  
—put it in ill-advised business ven-  
tures, invested in doubtful securities  
and spent the rest in social aspira-  
tions.

Of lesser magnitude, but no less  
tragic, is the recent case of a German  
woman with three children, who in  
the short space of two weeks has spent  
(not "invested") the fourteen hundred  
dollars received from her husband's  
death in an accident. During that  
time she has visited the savings bank  
on an average of every other day,  
drawing from twenty-five to fifty dol-  
lars each time.

Another woman who received a life  
insurance payment of two thousand  
dollars wasted her inheritance in two  
weeks at the races. Another who re-  
ceived a thousand dollars bequeathed  
herself with jewelry and had to go  
back to the factory in three months.  
A certain youth received two thou-  
sand dollars from his father's estate,  
quit work and lived the high life for  
a short time, and then went broke, as  
they all do.

The only redeeming feature of these  
processes is the fact that the waste  
of money cures itself, for soon there  
is no more to waste. The above-men-  
tioned individuals have found it out  
it matters not whether the sum be  
large or small, it seems an endless  
amount, but a little extravagance  
every day soon brings the fund to a  
state of exhaustion.

Life insurance companies have found  
upon investigation that a large propor-  
tion of their policy settlements are  
frittered away in the course of a few  
years. The hard work and the sacri-  
fices of the bread winner, in which  
the beneficiary usually has shared  
most to the wife in such a way as  
the settlement comes, and passes a con-  
sider



## BIG PROGRAMME FOR LABOR CELEBRATION

Will Be On Most Elaborate Scale Ever Attempted Here

Industrial Pageant and Parade in City, And Addresses, Music, Athletic Events at Wrightsville Beach To Be Chief Features.

The complete programme for the Labor Day celebration which will be carried out under the auspices of the Wilmington Trades Council in Wilmington and at Wrightsville Beach tomorrow, as printed in a handsome souvenir booklet which is just off the press, shows that no expense or efforts will be spared to make the observance of the day the most elaborate and successful ever held here.

The pageant of industrial floats which will form a part of the great parade through the city streets, in which more than 1,000 members of various labor, fraternal, civic and military organizations will participate, will be the feature of the day's programme in Wilmington.

Starting at City Hall, at 9 o'clock the parade will move north on Third to Red Cross, west on Red Cross to Front, south on Front to Castle, east on Castle to Fifth, north on Fifth to Market (south side), east on Market to Ninth, west on Market (north side) to Third, south on Third to City Hall.

The military, police and firemen will assemble on the east side of Third street between Chestnut and Princess streets, while the members of the Rotary Club and fraternal orders, will form on the west side of Third between Chestnut and Princess, and the floats on the east side of Third between Market and Princess, the union men on the west side of the same street between Market and Princess, the Confederate veterans at the W. L. L. armory, and all others intending to participate in the parade on Third street, south of Market.

**Addresses at Beach.**  
The programme at Lumina, Wrightsville Beach, in the afternoon and evening will wind up the festivities. The ceremonies in the afternoon will be marked by addresses by two of the best speakers in the State, Mr. James F. Barrett, of Asheville, who will deliver the oration of the day, and Dr. H. Q. Alexander, of Charlotte, president of the State Farmers' Union, who will be introduced by L. Clayton Grant, Esq., Democratic nominee for the next State Legislature from New Hanover. Dr. Alexander is recognized as one of the ablest speakers in the State.

The addresses of welcome will be delivered by Mayor Thos. H. Wright, on behalf of Wrightsville, and City Attorney Robert Rusk, on behalf of Wilmington. Mr. L. Riordan will introduce Mr. Barrett. Mr. H. H. Curtis, chairman of the committee on arrangements, will be master of the ceremonies.

In addition to the addresses there will be a fine programme of athletic and aquatic events carried out. An attractive programme of local and instrumental music will also be rendered. There will be dancing at Lumina in the afternoon and evening. The dance programme will include the square dance figures and an expert figure call has been secured. Music by Dr. Richardson's orchestra will be a special feature. The programme in full follows:

9 a. m.—Grandest labor pageant ever attempted in this vicinity will parade principal streets of Wilmington, composed of the military, civic, fraternal and labor organizations of the city.

**The Afternoon.**  
12:30 p. m.—Special car for entertainment of special guests of committee will depart for the beach.  
1:00 p. m.—Dinner served to committee's guests.

2:30 p. m.—Interesting programme, consisting of speeches by noted orators, and one of the highest classical musical events ever rendered at "Lumina," by some of Wilmington's most celebrated talents.

3:00 p. m.—Call to order.  
4:00 p. m.—Quartet, "Italia," Donizetti.  
Mrs. George E. Boylan, soprano; Mrs. Frank Muse, contralto; Mr. Charles L. Schuklen, tenor; Mr. W. B. Muse, bass.

5:00 p. m.—Address of welcome to Wrightsville Beach, Hon. Thos. H. Wright, Mayor of Wrightsville.  
6:00 p. m.—Address of welcome on behalf of Wilmington, Robert Rusk, Esq., city attorney of Wilmington.

7:00 p. m.—Tenor solo, "Good Bye," Toast; Mr. Charles L. Schuklen.  
8:00 p. m.—Introduction of speaker, L. Clayton Grant, Esq., Representative-elect.

9:00 p. m.—Address, Dr. H. Q. Alexander, president North Carolina Farmers' Union.  
10:00 p. m.—Bass solo, "Over the Deep Blue Sea," Petrie; Mr. W. B. Muse.

11:00 p. m.—Introduction of speaker, Mr. L. Riordan, State and District Organizer, American Federation of Labor.  
12:00 p. m.—Address, Mr. James F. Barrett, Asheville, N. C.

1:00 p. m.—Quartet, "Carmena," Wilson; Mrs. George E. Boylan, soprano; Mrs. Frank Muse, contralto; Mr. Charles L. Schuklen, tenor; Mr. W. B. Muse, bass.  
2:00 p. m.—Closing, Don Richardson Orchestra.

Miss Annie Chetsten, pianist.  
Mr. J. H. Curtis, master ceremonies.  
Athletic Events.

4:00 p. m.—Athletic events, as follows:  
"Greasy pig"—Open to union men only. The prize will be the "pig."  
Shot put—Open to all. The prize will be five, three and one beach tickets for first, second and third places, respectively.

100-yard dash—Under 110 pounds—prizes will be five, three and one beach tickets.  
100-yard dash—110 pounds and over—prizes will be five, three and one beach tickets.

Girls' flag race—Under 12 years of age—First prize, box of candy; second, three beach tickets; third, one beach ticket.  
Girls' flag race—13 years and over—First prize, box of candy; second, three beach tickets; third, one beach ticket.

Sack race—Under 110 pounds—Prizes will be five, three and one beach tickets.  
Sack race—110 pounds and over—Prizes will be five, three and one beach tickets.

Tug of war—Union men only—Prize for winners will be one box of union made cigars.  
Pie eating contest—For boys only—

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## CALLING OFF STRIKE BROUGHT GREAT RELIEF

Atlantic Coast Line Did Not Raise Embargo Yesterday.

Officials Await Formal Notification Before Taking Further Action—Adjustment to Normal Conditions Expected Today.

The threatened strike of railroad employees which was called for tomorrow morning held the center of attention in Wilmington yesterday, and the greatest relief not only on the part of the general public but by railroad employees and railroad officials here was in evidence last night when it was learned that the strike order had been revoked following the passage by the United States Senate of the Adamson bill which had previously been passed by the House.

While Atlantic Coast Line general officials in Wilmington learned last night of the passage of the bill and later of the rescinding of the strike order, no steps were taken towards lifting the embargo on freight which was placed on Friday, as they desired official confirmation of the press dispatches and other reports before taking any formal action. However, it is expected that the embargo will be lifted today.

It was stated by a high official of the Coast Line last night that every preparation had been made by this system to meet the impending strike and that the road was still ready to meet whatever conditions might arise. Until official notice was received that there would be no strike, it was stated, the Coast Line would stand by the position taken Thursday following a conference of all the officials.

The first news in an official way received in Wilmington last night that the strike of the trainmen had been called off was the receipt at 12:10 o'clock of a code message by Mr. J. E. L. Wade, local chairman of the Order of Railway Trainmen for the Wilmington district, stating that the strike had been called off and directing him to notify all members of the union in this district of this fact.

A short while later the local chairman of the Order of Railway Conductors of the Wilmington district also received a message from the general chairman notifying him that the strike had been called off.

There was a wide divergence of opinion expressed here yesterday as to the probable effect of the proposed strike on the Atlantic Coast Line. While a majority of the trainmen expressed the hope that there would be no strike and while many of them declared that it would be with the keenest regret that they would respond to the call, practically all declared that they would have to abide by the call, should it not be called off. On the other hand Coast Line officials seemed to be fully confident that they would be able to operate passenger trains, even if a strike was enforced.

While the belief was prevalent among the general public yesterday that there would be no strike, most of those having to do any traveling by rail were taking no chances and were making a heavy travel on all outgoing and incoming passenger trains.

### CAPTAIN GILLETTE AND PARTY LEAVE FOR CAMP GREEN

Sergeant Smith Tells How he Lost Two Perfect Good "Rookies."

Capt. George Gillette, accompanied by Sergt. W. L. Smith, Jr., and Corp. F. H. Gouverneur and about six new "rookies" for the local Engineer company, were camped at Camp Green, returned to camp yesterday afternoon.

Before leaving Sergeant Smith stated that on the average during his stay in Wilmington he has used about 10,000 words on every recruit enlisted. On those he didn't get he expended about the same number of words, he added.

Sergeant Smith and Corporal Gouverneur had two likely looking lads signed up for enlistment in the Delgado rifle corps a few nights ago, and Smith was just in the act of making a speech congratulating them and the citizens who had gathered round on their patriotism, when the mothers of the young men appeared at the front and back doors simultaneously with a view to prevent any attempt to spirit off their first born.

Somebody it seems had said to one mother, "Johnnie's signing some army," and to the other "Bill is signing some awful paper." Both mothers rushed to the store, took up strategic positions at either door and announced in firm tones that their offspring were not going to join any army. That settled the matter, so Sergeant Smith made a polite speech to the mothers instead of to the would-be soldiers and announced that he did not wish to have any one in the company if their parents objected. So you see the recruiting officers had expended 20,000 words, and yet didn't get their men.

### CONTRACT FOR BUILDING

Mr. Robert Tucker Will Erect Large School Structure Near Dunn.

Mr. Robert Tucker, a contractor in this city, has been awarded the contract for the erection of a large school building in Sampson county near Dunn, which will cost \$6,000. The building will be used for a private school which will be maintained by a number of interested persons in that vicinity. It will be two stories in height, and will contain six class rooms, a room for teaching music and a large auditorium.

Mr. Tucker will begin work this week on the building and will have it completed within three months.

Prizes will be five, three and one beach tickets.  
Pie eating contest—For girls only—Prizes will be five, three and one beach tickets.

Canoe race—Prizes will be ten, six and two beach tickets.  
Swimming race—Boys under 100 pounds—Prizes will be five, three and one beach tickets.

Swimming race—100 pounds and over—Prizes will be five, three and one beach tickets.  
Apple eating contest—Prizes will be five, three and one beach tickets. This contest is to take place inside of Lumina on the ball room floor.

Dancing afternoon and night

## WOULD LOCATE PAPER PLANT IN WILMINGTON

Mr. W. H. Crocker Has Plans Perfected For Factory

North Carolina's Chief Port Can Be Made Home of Great Industry, Mr. Crocker Thinks—Natural Advantages Are Ideal.

The recent paper famine which is causing publishers throughout the country such grave concern offers Wilmington an opportunity that the people here cannot afford to pass by, according to Mr. W. H. Crocker, who has for years been connected in one way and another with paper manufacturing enterprises. The opportunity has been here all along, Mr. Crocker thinks, and long before the present scarcity of paper was in evidence he was in this section looking over its vast resources in woods and seeing in them possibilities for building up a great industry.

Mr. Crocker has taken a carload of North Carolina woods to a paper mill in Pennsylvania and has there conducted a demonstration which has proven conclusively that every kind of the long and short wood pine can be made into wood pulp, suitable not only for newspaper printing but also for books. Not only that, but he has taken swamp gums and made a very good grade of pulp from that. He has brought back with him samples that show that a fine grade of pulp can be made from these materials.

Mr. Crocker has had years of experience in the paper business, having formerly been a buyer of wood for a large Northern paper factory. He declares that every kind of wood that grows around Wilmington can be made into paper, with the exception of oaks, of which there are but a small number.

Mr. Crocker finds in the country surrounding Wilmington advantages for the manufacture of wood pulp that do not obtain in Pennsylvania and other sections of the North, for the reason that wood here is not only plentiful but is easily accessible by reason of the fact that the Cape Fear river and its tributaries provide ample means of getting the material to the mill at a minimum of cost, while in the North the wood has to be hauled from the interior. Another reason why he finds this section superior is owing to the fact that the forests here reproduce themselves with the same kind of wood while in the North when the wood is removed, other kinds or trees grow up. However, in this section when the long leaf pine is cut down, other pines grow in its place, furnish constantly with improved forestry methods a source of supply for material for a mill.

The Old North State Pulp & Paper Company has been incorporated by Mr. Crocker and associates under the laws of North Carolina for the purpose of acquiring a large body of timbered lands, not less than 50,000 acres in extent, and also for the construction, equipment and operation of a mill adjoining the city of Wilmington, having a capacity of not less than 50 tons of pulp and paper a day. It is proposed to issue bonds for the amount of \$1,500,000 for the purpose of furnishing the capital. The company has already contracted for the purchase of a tract of 50 acres of land on deep water, just outside of Wilmington, for the erection of the plant.

Mr. Crocker says that from a careful study of the situation he is confident that 30,000 acres of land with its yearly re-growth of timber, would amply supply a 50-ton mill and would probably suffice for a 100-ton mill later.

Mr. Crocker estimates that such a mill producing 15,000 tons of good pulp yearly at a cost of \$33 a ton which would sell at its lowest valuation at \$44 a ton, would yield a profit annually of \$231,000 at high cost and low market and at low cost and high market, he figures the profits at \$385,500, making an average of \$308,250. If finished paper were manufactured, the average market value of which would be from \$50 to \$52 a ton while the average cost would be from \$45 to \$50 a ton, under the latter conditions, Mr. Crocker estimates the profits annually at not less than a half million dollars on a million and a half investment.

Mr. Crocker has no secret processes to sell nor does he hope to accomplish anything that could not be done by anyone else who has a clear knowledge of the natural advantages here. Indeed, he declares that when he gets one mill in operation he is sure that others will follow in its wake and that ere long Wilmington would become a center for a great paper manufacturing industry. He believes that Northern paper concerns, which must in the near future seek new locations in order to get nearer to a source of wood supply will come to this section because they will find here the woods that they need.

The building up of such an industry would help in many ways, Mr. Crocker points out, not the least of which would be the development of farm lands, as the lands could be cultivated after the timber is removed.

"Wilmington has the best of everything that nature could bestow, with the intention of making it one of the greatest paper making of the cities of the United States, if her people so desire," declared Mr. Crocker yesterday after he had outlined the reasons that had caused him to come to this section after having spent many years in the North.

"Standing on the banks of the Cape Fear," he continued, "with 26 feet of flood controlled water, reaching the Atlantic ocean, making it possible to float the raw material, pulp wood from over 500 miles of waterways including the Cape Fear and Northeast rivers, together with their tributaries, to the doors of as many mills as are built on her waters. To bring in the supplies also by rail, as they gridiron the surrounding country."

"The finished product can go to the markets of the country either by water or rail. Everything that goes towards making paper can also be brought in by the same means."

"Because it is a sea port the freights will be more favorable than elsewhere. The mild winter climate adds greatly to the situation, for the comfort of those who will come from a colder state."

"The boating, fishing, sea bathing at the beautiful beaches of Wrightsville and Carolina, have in them a great drawing card, as paper mills have a large staff of fine men making high wages."

Theatres, library, a fine school system, (continued on Page Seven).

## ROUSING RALLY IS PLANNED

For Opening of Democratic Campaign Here Wednesday Night With Hon. T. W. Bickett as Speaker.

The opening rally of the Democratic campaign in New Hanover county, which will be held Wednesday night at the county court house in Wilmington, and at which North Carolina's next Governor, Hon. T. W. Bickett, will make the main address, is expected to attract the biggest crowd ever assembled here on a similar occasion. Music by a brass band and short addresses by prominent local political leaders, will also feature the rally.

The Democratic nominees for Governor or his few equals in the South when it comes to making a rousing political address, and a great treat in store for all who attend the rally. The ladies are especially invited to hear him, and in view of the fact that Woman Suffrage is one of the leading political issues of the present presidential campaign, he should have a special message for them.

L. Clayton Grant, Esq., the Democratic nominee from New Hanover county to the State Legislature, will introduce Mr. Bickett, and Mr. Thomas E. Cooper, chairman of the county Democratic Committee, will preside.

In order to give wide publicity to the rally, Whitlock's band will play in front of the court house, just before the hour for the rally to be held. Announcement will also be made at the local theatres of the screens, and a big banner will be carried through the city streets about 7:30 Wednesday evening.

In preparation for an arduous campaign to bring out the voters of the county at the November election, Democratic headquarters were opened on September 1, in Room 33, of the Trust Building. The telephone which has been installed in No. 33, and all inquiries as to registration or voting will be cheerfully answered by the secretary, Claude C. Cashwell, Esq. Some one will be in the office at all times. Miss Mary Armstrong has been selected to act as stenographer for the headquarters office.

### CARD OF THANKS.

We desire to express our heartfelt thanks and appreciation to all our friends for their kindness and sympathy shown us in the recent illness and death of our beloved mother, Mrs. Sarah Griffith.

J. B. GRIFFITH,  
F. M. GRIFFITH,  
Mrs. W. H. CORBETT.

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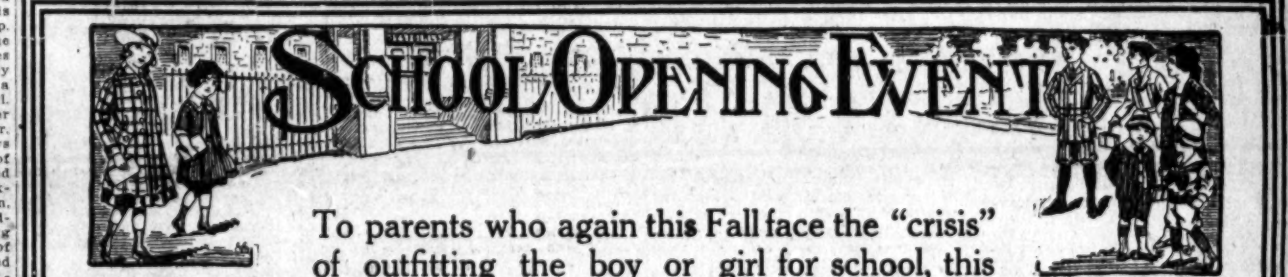
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To parents who again this Fall face the "crisis" of outfitting the boy or girl for school, this opening event will appeal with telling force, not only because of its true economies but for the dependable character of everything concerned. And by "character" we mean quality and workmanship and the most favored, newest feature of youthful Fall and Winter styles.

Whether in apparel or accessories of dress, the same infinite care exercised in our selections—even in the smallest things this important point will be remarked upon at once.

### School Shoes for Girls

Misses' Black Vici Kid Button; school heel; all solid leather; sizes 1-2 to 11, at \$1.25  
Misses' as above; sizes 11-2 to 2; at \$1.50  
Misses' heavy kid and gun metal School Shoes, 9 to 11-2, at \$1.50  
Same as above; sizes 12 to 2, \$1.75  
Misses' patent leather button School Shoes; cloth or Metcalf top; sizes 9 to 11, at \$1.75  
Same as above, 12 to 2-2, at \$2.00  
Buster Brown School Shoes, 1-2 to 11, at \$2.00  
Buster Brown School Shoes, 11-2 to 2, at \$2.50 and \$2.95

### School Head Wear

Children's Soft Felt Hats; white and navy, at \$1.00 to \$1.50  
Children's Corduroy School Hats; all colors, at \$1.00 to \$1.45  
Misses' Felt School Hats; all solid colors, with fancy bands, at \$1.05, \$2.95

### Girl's School Dresses Economically Priced

Dresses that are something more than just "pretty," because so well made in all their details, not one of which was overlooked by the conscientious manufacturer.

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Children's Gingham School Dresses; plain, neat styles and good quality; sizes 2 to 6 years, at \$1.45  
Children's good quality Gingham and Percale Dresses; sizes 6 to 14 years, at \$1.45 to \$1.75  
Children's fine quality Gingham and Chambray Dresses; sizes 6 to 14 years, at \$1.45 to \$1.75  
Finest Cotton School Dresses; variety of attractive styles, at only \$1.45 to \$1.75  
Misses' Serge Midy Dresses, at \$4.95 to \$10.00  
Misses' one-piece Serge Dresses, at \$3.50 to \$4.95

### Sturdy Shoes for Boys

Boys' Satin Calf Blucher School Shoes; sizes 9 to 13, at \$1.25  
Boys' as above; sizes 13-2 to 2, at \$1.50  
Boys' as above; sizes 2-2 to 6, at \$1.45  
Boys' all solid leather kid Blucher School Shoes; sizes 9 to 13, at \$1.35  
Boys' as above, 13-2 to 2, \$1.45  
Boys' gun metal Blucher; all solid leather School Shoes; sizes 9 to 13, at \$1.75  
Boys' as above; sizes 13-2 to 2, at \$1.45  
Boys' as above; sizes 2-2 to 6, at \$1.25

### Tough School Hose

Rover Lad Boys' Heavy-Ribbed Black Hose, at \$1.00  
Misses' Fine Ribbed Lisle Finished Hose; black or white; seconds, at \$1.00  
Misses' fine ribbed Lisle Finished Hose; first quality; black or white, at \$1.50  
Boys' extra heavy ribbed Black School Hose; extra value; all sizes, at \$1.50  
Misses' Mercerized Lisle Hose; beautiful silky quality; black or white, 25c

## BELK-WILLIAMS CO.



## SOCIAL and PERSONAL

Miss Elizabeth Hall, of Mt. Olive, was among the guests at The Orton yesterday.

Mrs. W. B. Sedberry, of Mt. Olive, was in the city yesterday, a guest at The Orton.

Miss Florence Murphy, of Atkinson, spent yesterday in the city, registered at The Orton.

Miss Ethel Mann after spending some time with relatives at Mt. Olive, returned home Friday.

Miss Eunice Sinclair, of Fayetteville, spent yesterday in the city, being registered at The Orton.

Mrs. John Fulsch, of Monroe, is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. R. Kelly, No. 308 North Fifth street.

Mrs. H. G. Smallbones, Sr., who has been visiting friends in Spartanburg, S. C., has returned home.

Miss Julia Hill, who has been spending some time at Wrightsville Beach, returned to the city.

Mrs. B. D. Bryan, Mrs. W. J. Swails, and Miss Sarah Gardner have returned from a trip through Maine and Boston.

Mrs. O. R. Brinson, of this city, has returned from Atlanta, Ga., where she has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. R. L. Neel.

Mrs. H. M. Emerson and the Misses Emerson, who have been spending the summer in Virginia, have returned home.

Mrs. E. C. Hopkins returned Saturday morning from an extended visit to relatives and friends in Massachusetts and Canada.

Mrs. Harrison and Mrs. Tomx have returned from Wrightsville Beach, where they have been spending the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Sumnerlin and children, of Mt. Olive, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Edward Mann, at Carolina Place.

Miss Adolphine Von Ohlsen has returned to her home in Charleston after a pleasant visit with her sister, Mrs. C. H. Bornemann.

Miss Kathleen Donkle, of Birmingham, Ala., who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Donkle, has returned home.

Mrs. J. B. King, Miss Margaret King and Miss Kathleen Windley have returned from a visit to Warsaw, Clinton and Turkey.

Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Newkirk, Jr., have returned to their home in Atlanta, after a visit of several days here to their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. King.

The missionary society of Trinity Methodist church will meet Wednesday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock at the church and all members are urged to attend.

Miss Elizabeth Guthrie, of Southport, who has been visiting at the home of her uncle, Mr. R. W. Weeks, No. 208 Church street, has returned home.

Mrs. J. C. Springs and Miss Mary Hewlett, who have been spending the summer in the mountains of Western North Carolina, have returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Glover left yesterday for Knoxville, Tenn., where Mr. Glover will spend some time with her parents. Mr. Glover will return Tuesday.

Mrs. W. M. Davis, Mrs. L. P. Hardy and son, Master Gerard, and Messrs. Oscar Hardy and Clayton Rouse, of Seven Springs, are the guests of Mrs. Clyde Croom.

Miss Virginia Farmer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Farmer, has returned from a visit of several weeks to Misses Viola Brownell and Katherine Arbogast in Asheville.

Miss Jessie Inman, of Chadbourn, who visited friends in Baltimore the past week, stopped over in Wilmington en route home with her cousin, Mrs. N. S. Haskett, No. 119 Ann street.

The F. H. C. class of the Winter Park Methodist Sunday school will give a benefit musicale at the Winter Park school house at 8 o'clock on the evening of Friday, September 8. An admission fee will be charged.

Mrs. C. T. Stewart and children, who spent the summer at Wrightsville Beach, left last week for Norfolk, Va., where they will visit friends before going to Washington and Philadelphia for short visits.

Mrs. Mary B. Shelton, of McIver, N. C., announces the engagement of her daughter, Miss Mary Frances Shelton, to Mr. Oscar Fearsall, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Fearsall, of this city. The wedding will take place on October 11 at McIver.

Miss Emilie Jane McInnis entertained a number of her friends Friday evening in honor of her guests, Miss Addie Williams, of Tampa, Fla., and her aunt, Mrs. F. P. Hicks, of Savannah, Ga. After numerous games refreshments were served. There were about fifteen guests present.

Friends will regret to learn that it was necessary for little Miss Janie Ellen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Curtis, to undergo an operation at the James Walker Memorial hospital yesterday. She was removed to the home of her parents and was resting comfortably last night.

The ladies of St. Matthew's Evangelical Lutheran church will give an automobile ride on Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock for the benefit of the Missionary Society. The machines will start from the church and refreshments will be served on the church lawn on return. A fee will be charged.

Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Franklin Keith, of Currie, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Lila Mary, to Julius Clarence Smith, Esq., of High Point. The wedding will take place the latter part of October. The bride-to-be formerly lived in Wilmington and has many friends here. Mr. Smith is a member of the law firm of

Roberson, Barnhart and Smith, of High Point, and a son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence A. Smith, of that city.

Onslow Progress, Jacksonville: "Capt. and Mrs. A. F. Shafer, who have been spending some time at Southport and Wrightsville Beach, returned home Wednesday—Mr. J. S. Williams, of Wilmington, who was called home on account of his father's death, near this place, last Monday, returned home Wednesday."

Yesterday's Charlotte Observer: Misses Sadie Green, Augusta Boykin and Helen Bright, of Wilmington, who were the winners in the late contest held at the Broadway theatre, have returned from the tour awarded them as the winners. The tour consisted of free passage to Washington, Atlantic City, New York and Toronto. The young women will return to their homes in Wilmington."

Southport News: "Rev. T. G. Vickers and family have returned from their summer outing. For the month of August they enjoyed camp life on the beautiful shore of Lake Waccamaw. With them were Mrs. Vickers family, Mrs. Chas. Lumsden, Misses Beale and Elsie Lumsden, Miss Margaret Betts, Miss Louie Bernard, and Mr. Bernard Lumsden, all of Raleigh. They had a most enjoyable time, bathing, fishing and swimming—Capt. L. J. Pepper spent the week in Wilmington, in Arch Deacon Noe, of Wilmington, spent last Tuesday in Southport—Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Martin and son, of Wilmington, are spending the week with Mrs. D. D. Daniel—Mr. Joe Brough, of Wilmington, spent the week-end with Mrs. Brough."

Chadbourn Herald: Mesdames C. D. Koonce, H. Land, F. T. Wooten, Miss Helen Hand and Messrs. Frank Wooten, Jr., Paul Brown, Evans Hand and Charlie Monroe, all went to Wrightsville Beach Monday—Among those who were visitors at Wrightsville Sunday were: Mrs. Leon Bailey, Mrs. Yates, Messrs. Joe Usher, Carl Miller, Bob Brown and Mr. Bryant.

Mrs. Hattie Geiger was taken to Wilmington Sunday to undergo an operation in the James Walker Hospital.

Mr. F. L. Carter, of Wilmington, was in town Monday evening visiting friends—Miss Myrtle Pifer spent Sunday at the beach.

Pender Chronicle, Burgaw: "Mrs. J. A. Page, of this place, and Mrs. McIntire, of Teachey, went to Wilmington last Thursday. Mrs. Page returned Friday night, while Mrs. McIntire will remain in Wilmington for a few days, from there she will go to Montgomery, Ala., where she will visit her daughter, Mrs. Cooper—Messrs. W. C. Myers, Neal Moore, Dr. W. J. Taylor and R. R. Ryenbark took in the wrestling match at Wrightsville Beach last Friday night—Mrs. George DeLano, of Wilmington, returned home Saturday after visiting her brother, Mr. W. D. Huhn—Mr. A. B. Croom, Jr., of Wilmington, visited relatives here Sunday."

Sampson Democrat, Clinton: "Complimentary to several of her Trinity College friends, Miss Mary Ellen Owen, an attractive Clinton young lady, gave a delightful home party at White Lake the past week. The party left on Monday the 21st and returned on Monday the 28th. The Love home was rented for the week, and the house party enjoyed every feature of entertainment that a nearness to the lake afforded; sailing, rowing, swimming, fishing, dancing, etc. During the week a number of Clinton young people joined the party. In the party were Misses Elizabeth Tucker, of Raleigh; Jennette Smith, of Durham; Julia Craven, of Durham; Mary Ellen Owen and Grace Crumpler, of Clinton; Messrs. Hugh Swann, of Bayboro; Malcolm Kemp, of Elizabeth City; Almon Carter, of Wallace, and John Ed Owen, of Clinton. Among the visitors were Misses Annie Lou Carr and Helen Parsons; James Barbrey, Frank Royette, Gabriel Barbrey, Frances Chestnut, Joe Herring, and Stewart Bethune, of Clinton. Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Owen chaperoned the party."

MISS DAISY WARD HONORED AT DELIGHTFUL RECEPTION

Wallace, N. C., Sept. 2.—Monday evening last Miss Ellis Register entertained at her beautiful home in honor of her house guest, Miss Daisy Ward, of Rowland. The large porch was most attractive with its decorations of asters and sweet peas, being lighter with numerous Japanese lanterns. The feature of the occasion was progressive conversation. A delicious ice course was served.

The invited guests were: Misses Alice Huxley, Norma Carr, Annie Johnson, Ethel Boney and Ruth, Ruth Hadd, Marguerite Ellsworth and Virginia James; Messrs. Fred Dees, Willie Cavanaugh, Julian Gary, George Johnson, Henry Lee and Edgar Boney, Jack Johnson, Mahabaw, N. T. Brown, D. S. Harris and C. C. Lucas.

LITTLE MISS KATHRYN HILL ENTERTAINS AT BIRTHDAY PARTY

A crowd of jolly little guests assembled at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hill, No. 517 South Front street, yesterday afternoon and celebrated with her the seventh anniversary of the birth of little Miss Kathryn Hill. After two hours of games and pleasure, the guests repaired to the dining room where refreshments were served. The room was tastefully decorated, the color scheme being green and white.

Those attending were: Misses Miriam and Mary Elizabeth Caldwell, Jean LeGwin, Lillian Stuart, Theresa MacMillan, Marion Stuart, Mary Janice Davis, Sally Darby, Mary Darby, Audrey Williams, Annie Newcomb, Rosa Hall, Mattie May Hall, Jean Hunt, Mary Frances Cleave, and Masters James Shelley, George Newcomb, Albert Johnson, Ernest Vittou, Billy Williford, Frederick Newcomb, Ralph Gaston, Jr., Arthur Darby.

MISS ANNA GRAHAM HARRIS WILL OPEN STUDIO HERE

Many friends in Wilmington will be pleased to learn that Miss Anna Graham Harris, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Harris, who has been in Philadelphia for some time, will spend the winter here and will open a studio for the teaching of voice. Miss Harris possesses a splendid contralto voice and has appeared in recitals here on several occasions. She has received training under some of the leading singers of the country.

Miss Harris has already made en-

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### Wrightsville Beach

The Hanover Inn closed yesterday after having had a successful season. Mrs. Wall, on of the proprietors, left last night for her home at Hillsboro, while Miss Dismore, the other proprietor, will spend some time at Black Mountain before going to her home in Atlanta.

Mrs. R. M. Edwards, Mrs. James Shelby Edwards, Miss Elizabeth Edwards, Miss Ruth Edwards, Miss Blanche Bush and James Shelby Edwards, Jr., all of Memphis, Tenn., were members of a party that spent a month at the Seashore hotel, who returned home the past week, after having been the recipients of many social honors at the beach.

LAST CONCERTS TODAY BY DON RICHARDSON'S ORCHESTRA

Record breaking crowds are expected to be present at the closing Sunday concert of the season at the beach today and tonight by Don Richardson's orchestra. Two splendid programmes have been arranged by Richardson, several numbers having been included by special request. The afternoon concert, beginning at 2 o'clock, will be given at Lumina, but the night concert will be at the new auditorium on Harbor Island. Those who attended the musical recital at the auditorium last Tuesday night, learned that the building is admirably suited for such events.

The programme for the afternoon concert includes the following selections: "High Jinks" (selection) by Friml; "The Chrysanthemum" by E. H. Kohn; "Sesame" (Arabian novellette) by Robert King; "I'm a Longing for You" by Hathaway; "Frolic of the Coons" by W. C. O'Hare; "Somewhere a Voice is Calling" by A. Tate; "Katinka" by Friml; "American Patrol" by Meacham; "America."

The night concert beginning at 8:45 o'clock at the auditorium will include the following selections: Overture "Oberon" by C. M. von Weber; "A Perfect Day" (request) by Jacob-Nord; Hungarian Dance No. 1, by Brahms; Peer Gynt Suite Opus 46, by E. Grieg; Musical Gems of Tchaikowsky, by Otto Longey; "Al Fresco" by Victor Herbert; "Souvenir" (request) by Drida; Tales of Hoffman "Arias" by Offenbach; "Auld Lang Syne."

### PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

—Mr. Edwin Wright, of Boardman, was a business visitor in the city yesterday.

—Solicitor Homer Lyon, of Whiteville, was in the city on business yesterday.

—S. Abramowitz has moved up to the city from his summer residence at Carolina Beach.

—Lieut. W. P. Monroe, who has been in the city for several days with his family, has returned to Camp Glenn.

—Rev. O. W. McManus, who has been visiting his brother, Mr. M. T. Y. McManus, has returned to his home at Gibson.

—Among the arrivals at The Orton Hotel yesterday were: H. W. Loving, Charlotte; Rob Murphy, Atkinson; A. K. Pennington, Raleigh.

—Dr. H. T. Moore has returned from his former home at Bolivar, Tenn., where he has been spending his vacation, and has resumed his practice.

—Mr. Parkins, of Birmingham, who has been visiting his aunt, Mrs. N. T. Pittman, has returned to his home at Washington, D. C.

—Rev. J. H. Shore has returned from his vacation in the Piedmont section of the State, and will occupy the pulpit today both morning and evening at the Fifth Avenue Methodist church.

—Rev. W. R. Noy will preach Sabbath day sermon at Chapel of Good Shepherd, Sixth and Queen streets, at 8 o'clock tonight. All Union men are invited to attend.

—Mr. S. F. Highsmith, of the United States Customs Service, formerly stationed at Wilmington, but now of Winston-Salem, spent yesterday in the city, making arrangements for the transfer of his family to his new home.

—Mr. C. P. McIntire, who is employed in the office of the general auditor of the Atlantic Coast Line, has moved his family here from Gainesville, Fla., and is residing on Red Cross street.

Brunswick Eagle, Shalotte: "W. L. Swain was a business visitor to Wilmington Monday—Mr. J. W. Brown, of Wilmington, was here Monday—Mr. W. A. Rourke was a business visitor to Wilmington Tuesday."

—Mr. F. H. Butts, Jr., of Portsmouth, Va., has been appointed local agent of the Texas Company, to succeed Mr. R. M. Schulken, who has been promoted to operating inspector of the Lynchburg, Va., territory.

—Messrs. Ralph L. Sholar and Armistead A. Dowdy, two young Wilmington men who have been at Hopewell, Va., for some time with the Dupont Powder Works, are here for a few days to visit their families.

—Among the arrivals at the Hotel Wilmington yesterday were: H. W. Loving, Charlotte; Rob Murphy, Atkinson; A. K. Pennington, Raleigh; Dr. H. T. Moore, Bolivar, Tenn.; Mr. C. P. McIntire, Gainesville, Fla.; and Mr. W. A. Rourke, of Portsmouth, Va.

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# Do Your Shopping Early Monday at the Bon Marche. Labor Day We Close at 1 p. m.



We have been told by many of the women here that nothing like our sale has ever been held, that no such bargains were ever dreamed of. Yet we have no doubt that a number of Wilmington women who make it a fast rule to stay away from "Big Sales" have done themselves a great injustice by not coming to our Big Re-Organization Sale. If you happen to be one of those women, we only have this to say to you: that your pride is costing you dearly and the sooner you awake to the fact as hundreds of others have, you will make us a daily visit.

### Millinery at Prices Un-Believable

The other day one lady refused to accept the amount of Millinery we wanted to give her for \$1, saying that she had purchased at least \$10 worth for one dollar. This is a typical case of our value-giving sale.

### The Reason for Quick Disposal of Goods

Is very plain, when the facts are known: We came here less than four weeks ago, and purchased the entire stock of the Polvogt Company with the idea of putting in an up-to-date Department Store, similar to the one we have in Asheville. At this time the summer season was so far advanced that it was necessary to clear out all Summer Goods as quickly as possible, and as we are going to carry the very best in every department we found it necessary to sell all of the Polvogt stock in as short a time as possible.

We therefore make this statement to the women of this section. We wish to assert that the Polvogt stock was an exceptionally good one, but in order to put in our new line of merchandise we found it absolutely necessary to close out the entire stock.

## Prices No Object at This Sale

Come and Benefit by Our Loss

Only a Few Days More of the Sale

Millinery Found on Messanine Balcony.

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### MRS. STONER JOINS FIGHT

Mothers' Militia to Combat Infantile Paralysis in New York and "Help Your Neighbors."

After conducting a summer school of natural education in New York which proved a big success in the face of dreadful heat, infantile paralysis and car strikes, Mrs. Winifred Stoner, of Wilmington, opened her campaign in the slums of New York to fight the dreadful plague that has caused such terrific suffering and so many deaths in the metropolis this summer.

The City Park Commission opened the recreation parks for her in the evenings and assisted by several government officials and the leading club women of New York City, Mrs. Stoner is making a wondrous fight against filth and fear and striving to bring cleanliness and cheer on earth.

All of the New York papers have carried articles of her work and through persuading children in the slums to work with her she is getting rid of surplus paper in the streets and of roaches, flies, lice and bed bugs in both the homes and in the streets.

Carrying out her idea of jingles being a help in all things into the streets, Mrs. Stoner is teaching the children to sing songs about scrubbing their teeth, brushing their hair, washing their hands, sweating flies, etc.

The following letter has been received from Mrs. Stoner asking that the Wilmington children contribute something to help the victims in New York City.

"Dearst Kiddies: "You who can run about and who have plenty of spare pennies won't you please help some of the cripple children in New York by sending your pennies to Mr. Livingstone, of The Morning Star. He will send them to The Seaside Home for Crippled Children, Arverne, Long Island, N. Y., and they will bring sunshine to those who can never again run and dance as you do. Oh, if you could see these children each day I see them, you would feel like doing without candy for a year and sending all of your spare pennies."

"MOTHER STONER." The New York Evening World recently carried an extended account, illustrated with photographs of Mrs. Stoner, giving an account of her work in the organization of the mothers' militia to fight infantile paralysis and "Help your neighbors." The article contains a complete outline of her plan, as stated by Mrs. Stoner. An extract from this article follows:

"Having concluded the summer school for fathers and mothers at the Seaside School, No. 316 West Seventy-second street, through which she has been demonstrating her educational theories, Mrs. Stoner—who holds a doctor's degree by the way—is now organizing a mothers' militia to make war on infantile paralysis. She is supported by the Clubwomen's Clean-Up Committee, which includes Mrs. William Grant Brown and Miss Florence Guernsey,

### Donations to Kennedy Home.

The following donations were received by the Catherine Kennedy Home during the month of August: A friend, coffee; Sterchi-Bancroft Co., \$6; Mrs. L. K. Taylor, provisions; Mrs. T. F. Baley, groceries; Mrs. H. F. Wilder, groceries; A friend, groceries; Trinity

Methodist church, lemonade; Frost Ice Cream Company, two gallons ice cream; Miss Northy, fish; Mrs. Clayton, magazines; Mrs. Reiger, magazines; J. Hicks, hunting, drugs; R. R. Bellamy, drugs; Independent Ice Company, 75 pounds ice; Plate Ice Company, 20 pounds ice daily.

"You know," she added, her brilliant brown eyes softening, "I am all wrought up about this thing. Since my husband began investigating it I have heard about it every night for weeks; heard how it was spreading, heard agonizing details of the poor little afflicted children, heard of the suffering of the mothers. And I keep thinking how I would feel if my Winifred were shut up in this city. She's having a beautiful vacation swimming, canoeing, rowing and riding horseback at Camp Farwell, Wells River, Vt., and she celebrates her fourteenth birthday tomorrow. I know she is happy, but it's the first time I have ever been separated from her and that's due to the epidemic. So, you see, it touches me personally."

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End Came Yesterday Morning at Red Cross Sanitarium—Funeral Today.

After a lingering illness during which she bore her suffering with great Christian fortitude and with patient resignation, Mrs. Jane M. Fowler, widow of the late Edward Fowler, died yesterday morning at 6 o'clock at the Red Cross Sanitarium, near the city, where she had been a patient for a year or more. The end was not unexpected, but came as a sad realization to family and friends.

Mrs. Fowler was born June 11th, 1851, and was, therefore, 65 years of age. She had lived in Wilmington all her life and during late years had lived at the home of her son-in-law, Mr. Marcus C. Gray, No. 805 South Fifth avenue. She was one of the earliest members of St. James Protestant Episcopal church of this city, and had lived all her life a devoted Christian woman. Mrs. Fowler is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Mary W. Gray, wife of Mr. M. C. Gray, of this city; one son, Mr. Charles Fowler, and a little grandson, Thomas William Gray, to whom she was especially devoted.

The funeral will be conducted at 4 o'clock this afternoon from the residence of Mr. Gray, 805 South Fifth avenue, Rev. W. G. Hall, pastor of Southside Baptist church, officiating, and the interment will be in Bellevue cemetery.

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agreements to sing at a number of concerts in the South during the winter. She is spending the summer in the mountains of North Carolina.

It will also be of interest to her friends here to know that she has been engaged as solo-contralto at St. James church during the winter. Miss Harris during the past two years has been soloist in several churches in Philadelphia.

Mr. J. F. Harris, Jr., a brother of Miss Harris who has been spending the summer at the summer school of singing at Brookfield Center, Conn., will return to the city this fall. He will be a member of the choir at St. James church at his soloist.

Clinton Democrat: Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Johnson and two children recently spent a short time at Wrightsville Beach. Mr. Johnson and his family and little daughter recently spent a week end at Wrightsville Beach, going through the country in their machine.

Rev. and Mrs. W. R. Noe, of Wilmington, and two children have been spending the past week in Clinton on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Partrick.

Misses Bettie Cox, of Warsaw, and Estelle Cox, of Wilmington, recently visited Mrs. H. S. Sutherland in Clinton.

Miss Thelma Smith, of Wilmington, is in Clinton on a visit to relatives.

Sampson Democrat, Clinton: "The concert that will be given in Clinton by the Don Richardson Society orchestra, on Tuesday night of the coming week, is the musical event of the year. It will be a rare treat for Clinton people, and they should show their appreciation of this favor that has been shown to his home town by Mr. Richardson, by giving a large house."

The auditorium of the Clinton school will be used for the concert. The personnel of the Richardson orchestra this year is very fine. While the leader always surrounds himself with the very best artists, never has he had a group of musicians who were better able to interpret his work and execute the music that he wants to give to his hearers. Those Clinton people who have interested themselves to the extent of assisting Mr. Richardson in making his arrangements for the concert should get the most out of the operation and encouragement of all music lovers."

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL NOTES

OF INTEREST FROM WALLACE

Wallace, N. C., Sept. 2.—Misses Cora and Minnie Boone are on a trip to the northern cities buying millinery and stock for their growing business.

Misses Geneva Quinn, Chiquette, and Lillie Carter, spent the weekend with Mrs. J. W. Carroll.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Parker and Richard, Jr., of Hopewell, Va., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Bray. The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Parker are glad to welcome them to Wallace always.

Dr. C. S. Sloan is visiting in Richmond, Va.

Miss Ella Henry, of Raleigh, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Henry, near Wallace.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Snellings and little daughter, Ruth, of Portsmouth, Va., have returned to their home after a week spent with Mr. and Mrs. A. L. McGowan. They made the trip both ways in their machine.

Mr. and Mrs. John Camp and little Virginia, returned home Sunday from Franklin, Va. Mr. Camp was in the hospital several weeks following his serious operation. Since leaving there he and family have visited his parents in Franklin.

Mrs. Tom Arrington, of Rocky Mount, formerly Miss Hallie Powers, of Wake Forest, is visiting at the home of her uncle, Mr. L. C. Powers.

Mrs. Horace Pearson, of Wilmington, is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. N. H. Carter.

NEWS NOTES OF SOCIAL INTEREST FROM JACKSONVILLE

Jacksonville, N. C., Sept. 2.—Misses E. J. Wellons, of Smithfield, and B. F. Wellons, of Charlotte, were here this week.

Mrs. Percy Giles, of Norfolk, has returned home after visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Wood, of Kinston, have returned home after spending a week here fishing.

Mrs. George Gillette is spending some time here with relatives and friends. Her husband, Mr. Gillette, is in command of the engineer company of Wilmington, which is now at Camp Glenn.

Mrs. W. H. Henderson has returned to her home at Kinston, after visiting friends near Kinston.

Miss Gladys Page, of Wilmington, has returned home after spending several weeks here with relatives and friends.

Miss Mary Bennett, of New Bern, and Miss Edna Oliver, of Pollockville, are the guests of the Misses Simpson.

Miss Lila Brown, of Kinston, is the guest of her brother, Mr. R. L. Brown.

Mrs. E. N. Pettaway and children are spending some time with Mrs. Pettaway's sister, Mrs. R. L. May, at Bolton.

Mrs. R. L. Humphrey, of Maysville, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. R. King.

Miss Florence Trevillian, of Ashland, Va., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. F. W. Marine.

Miss Elizabeth Fonville, of Verona, has returned home after spending some time here with friends.

Mrs. E. L. Cox and children have returned home after spending several weeks in Jones county.

Miss Mary Lily Cox has returned home after spending some time at Kinston, New Bern and Richmond.

Miss Olivia Pettaway has returned home after spending some time at Bayboro, New Bern and Clarksville.

Miss Ethel Wetherington, of New Bern, is the guest of Miss Olivia Pettaway.

SOCIAL AND OTHER NEWS

NOTES FROM OLD ANTIOCH

Antioch, N. C., Sept. 2.—The Antioch State High School will reopen Monday, September 11. Any boy or girl in Hoke county desiring to prepare for college for the duties of life can attend this institution free of charge except for board, which may be obtained at a reasonable rate.

Rev. V. R. Gaston and family will leave in a few days for Aberdeen, where they will make their future home. Mr. Gaston delivered his farewell sermon here last Sunday morning. Next Sunday, Rev. Dr. F. D. Veigh will supply the pulpit and the second Sunday Dr. C. G. Vardell will preach here.

Many of the boys and girls will leave during the coming week for the various colleges throughout North Carolina.

olina. Messrs. Charles and Willie Hodgins will leave Tuesday for Davidson, Lacey Conely for University of North Carolina, and Miss Mary McPhaul will return to Flora McDonald, at Red Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Keith, of Vass, are spending some time here, guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. H. McNeill.

Miss Mildred Vicks, of Godwin, who has been the attractive house guest of Miss Jessie McPhaul for several days, left Thursday for her home.

Miss Mary Kenna Walker, of Barium Springs, is an attractive Antioch visitor. The guest of Misses Mary and Lillian McPhaul.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Currie, of Raeford, and Miss Florence Gordon, of Chatham, Va., spent Friday in Antioch, the guests of Rev. and Mrs. V. R. Gaston.

The stork visited the home of Mayor and Mrs. J. A. Hodgins Tuesday and left with them a fine ten pound girl.

Misses Ruth and Flora Conely, of Waycross, Ga., are visiting their cousins, Misses Katie and Christian McPhaul.

Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Sexton, of Raeford, spent Wednesday evening in town, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hodgins.

The Christian Endeavor Society was entertained Wednesday evening by the young people. After several interesting games were played by the young people, cream and cake were served. Among those present besides the members were Prof. McBryde and Prof. Womble, of Raeford, and Miss Mildred Vicks, of Godwin.

The condition of Miss Birdie Gibson, who has been quite sick for several days, is reported as being much improved.

McPhaul & Hodgins' ginney will begin operation Monday. The cotton crop in this section will vary between one-half and one-third.

WARSAW NEWS NOTES OF INTEREST IN SOCIAL CIRCLES

Warsaw, Sept. 1.—The Ladies Aid Society of the Methodist church was entertained by Mrs. M. K. Moore when it met in monthly session at her home on last Friday afternoon. After all necessary business was transacted, an interesting social hour followed, when Mrs. Moore served delightful refreshments.

The Christian Endeavor Society had as its capable leader Miss Maria Loftholm, who held its regular weekly meeting on last Thursday evening. The subject was "Growth of Body, Mind and Spirit." In addition to readings and talks on this subject, there was an interesting musical programme.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Shealy, of Wilson, are visiting Mrs. R. W. Best.

Mrs. Dick Mallard and little daughter, of Jacksonville, Fla., and Mrs. Nick Hussey and Miss Susie Hussey, of Charlotte, who have been spending some time in Florida, have arrived in the city, and are guests of Mrs. J. H. Newbury.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Hazlett, who have been staying some time with their daughter, Mrs. G. M. Long, at Burgaw, and at Wrightsville Beach, have returned to their home here.

Mrs. D. E. Best and little daughter, Llewellyn, left last Saturday for Morehead, where they will be guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Pierce, Mrs. T. H. Pierce and Miss Sallie Faison Best have been there for the past week.

Mr. Claude Best spent last Sunday at Wrightsville Beach.

Mrs. Marion Butler, of Washington, D. C., was the charming hostess at the family reunion of the Faison family, the descendants of W. A. Faison, the occasion being the anniversary of his birthday, and the celebration was held at the ancestral home in Elliot, on Tuesday. A beautiful and delicious luncheon was served to the assembled guests, among whom were Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Faison, of Goldsboro; Mrs. P. V. Baumgardner, Misses Mary DeVane, Emma Faison, and Mr. De Berniere Faison, of Goldsboro; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Faison, of Clinton; Messrs. John Faison, Shaw Hines, Joyce Gibson, Misses Nell De Vane, Laura Murphy and Martha Faison, of Faison; Mrs. Mosely Middleton, of Greensboro; Mrs. Ed. Mann, of Wilmington; Mrs. Edward Faison, of Washington, D. C.; Miss India Hopper, of Portsmouth, Va., and Mr. Alec Faison, of Warsaw.

Mrs. C. F. Carroll left Wednesday morning for a visit to Morehead City and Ocracoke.

SOCIAL NEWS NOTES AND PERSONALS FROM RICHMOND

Richmond, N. C., Sept. 2.—Miss Lila Ammon very pleasantly entertained fifteen of the younger set at her home Monday night in honor of Miss Edna Oliver, of Pollockville, and Miss Besse Edwards, of Mullins, S. C. Cards were played after which the guests rendered several vocal and instrumental selections. A delicious sandwich and fruit course was served.

The young men of the town gave a skating party in the Planter's Warehouse recently in honor of the young ladies of the town. Quite a number enjoyed the event.

Mrs. H. McPherson gave a pleasant dance at her home in honor of her sister, Miss Bronstein, of New York. Excellent music was enjoyed by the dancers.

Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester have as their guest, Mrs. N. E. Day.

Mr. Norwood Cox has returned from a visit to friends in South Carolina and Chatham.

Mr. H. H. Ammon is expected home next week from Durham to spend his vacation. Mr. Ammon is employed by the Durham Motor Car Company. He is expected to bring as his guests Messrs. Henry and Sidney Smith.

"Balsamor's Bungalow," a charming little cottage on Hargett street, was built in 1908. At its building it was decided that it would be a place "where women never gossip, where babies never cry, where henpecked husbands cast a languid eye." For ten years this rule was adhered to, but it was broken last Monday when it opened its doors to receive Mr. Brinkley, and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Newton, of Suffolk, Va., sister and mother of Mr. Bruce Brinkley and Mr. George Brooks, its owners.

Miss Alice Ammon, who has been the guest at a beach party given by Miss Jackson, near Morehead City, and later a guest of Mrs. Walter Freeman, at Morehead, is expected home next week.

Mrs. Tob Koonce and daughter, of Chapel Hill, who have been the guests of Mrs. John Hatch, returned home this week.

Richlands is now in the midst of a successful tobacco season.

Miss Julia Beuler, of Jacksonville, and Miss Carrie Bowen, of Wilmington, are visitors here this week.

Miss Lillie Hardy has returned from a visit to friends and relatives in Wilmington.

Richland graded and high school will open September 15. Three extra teachers will be added to the faculty, making a total of ten. Three new classrooms and a new auditorium have been added to the buildings on the campus.

This is expected to be the best year in the history of the schools.

Dr. Edward Koonce left Wednesday for Washington, where he will complete his education as a dentist.

Miss Laura Cox is visiting in Maysville.

Misses Nannie Cox and Thelma Sylvester returned Monday from Morehead City, where they were the guests of Mrs. Walter Freeman.

Mr. Luther Taylor has gone to Washington to enter a dental school.

WEEK'S NEWS NOTES FROM CLARKTON OF SOCIAL INTEREST

Clarkton, N. C., Sept. 2.—Mrs. O. L. Clark, Sr., and daughters, Misses Rosa Lee, Cora, Margaret and Louise, returned Tuesday night from their summer home at Morehead.

Mr. J. O. Hall, of Abbottsburg, has accepted a position as assistant cashier in the bank here.

Dr. A. S. Cromartie and Mrs. G. H. Cromartie, of Fayetteville, motored down here Sunday, returning Monday accompanied by Mr. W. R. Simpson.

Miss Lillie Ward returned Thursday from a visit to friends at Fairmont. She was accompanied home by Mrs. Wash Ward and little son, John Knox.

Thursday was "clean up day" at the Clarkton cemetery, one mile north of town. A number of the citizens of the town, armed with rakes and other farming implements, met there by appointment at 8:30, and spent the day, making quite an improvement in the appearance of the place.

Dr. E. S. Clark, Messrs. W. B. Thompson and E. L. Curtis accompanied Mr. Will Parker to Fayetteville Sunday, where he will undergo treatment at the Highsmith Hospital.

Mrs. O. H. Tourie and two children, Ida Withers and George, returned Tuesday from Breward where they have been spending the summer.

Miss Eva Kelly left this week for Mt. Wenden, where she has a position in the graded school.

A series of revival services will begin at the Baptist church next Monday. The pastor, Rev. J. D. Howell, will be assisted by Rev. J. A. Sullivan, of Wilmington. Prayers services have been held at the homes of the members of the church the past week. The pastor urges all denominations to cooperate with him in this meeting.

Miss Laura Meares is attending a house party at King's Mountain this week. From there she will go to China Grove, where she will teach in the graded school.

Miss Kate Johnston returned Thursday from Lumberton, where she has been attending the Robeson County Teachers' Institute.

The many friends of Mr. T. Jones, of Council Bluffs, who died last week of his death, which occurred Wednesday morning. He had resided here some years ago and had many friends in this section as well as elsewhere.

Schools of the young people enjoyed a delightful reception of the charming country home of Mr. and Mrs. Sandy Nance, six miles south of town, on Thursday evening.

Mrs. C. A. Clark, of Elizabethtown, was the week-end guest of her son, Mr. E. C. Clark.

Rev. W. H. Goodman returned Friday from a three weeks' vacation near Concord. He was accompanied home by his father.

The regular monthly business and social meeting of the Christian Endeavor was held at the Presbyterian church Friday evening at 8 o'clock. At the close of the business session, which was of unusual interest and enjoyable "stunts" were engaged in. A drawing contest was the feature of the evening. Each couple present was given a slip of paper, containing the name of some animal, and asked to draw it on the board. Some very ridiculous animals were portrayed. The prize, a box of "animal crackers," was won by Misses Margaret Hillard and Belle Puffer.

Mr. Hutchinson and family, of Florida, have moved into the cottage owned by Miss Allie MacFadyen, on Columbus street. Mr. Hutchinson is an old friend of the town, and Mr. T. Hutchinson, and will be a welcome addition to our town.

OFFICIAL OYSTERS SEASON OPENS HERE ON OCTOBER 1

First Bivalves of Season From Norfolk are Served in Restaurants

The season for the taking of oysters off the North Carolina coast will not open here until October 1, according to an announcement made yesterday by Mr. W. C. Montgomery, inspector of the State Bureau of Fisheries for New Hanover, Brunswick and Pender counties.

The first oysters of the 1916 season were served in local restaurants on Friday, September 1. So far there have been no reports of pearls found but persons who are fond of this form of gambling are enjoying the succulent bivalves with the confident expectation that with the next half-fry, the gem will be forthcoming.

Although there is a law in North Carolina which imposes a fine for oysters gathered and marketed before October 1, the Virginia law permits them to be taken after September 1. It is the Norfolk oysters and not those from the coast of North Carolina which are being sold in this section.

Oyster beds of this State were a source of great wealth to its people, but that day has passed. These North Carolina beds were not only in enormous quantities but they were of the finest quality. For the lack of proper regulations the oyster beds were destroyed, and now North Carolina buys most of its oysters from the states it once supplied. A law was passed at the last session of the State Legislature which may eventually restore the industry.

LOCAL DOTS

—Troop Ten of the Boys Scouts of America have written a letter to County Officer H. Mack Godwin and Policeman D. W. Coleman, thanking the officers for apprehending the men who ran over one of their members, Deems Padgett, seriously injuring him.

—Holiday hours will be observed at the Wilmington postoffice Monday on account of Labor Day. General delivery window will be open from 11 a. m. to 12 m., and from 7 to 8 p. m. One delivery and one collection of the mails will be made by the carriers. Stamps will be on sale at the general delivery window during the hours open.

FUNERAL OF MISS MERRITT

Was Held Yesterday Morning—Interment at Prospect Church.

Funeral services for Miss Isabelle Merritt, who died Thursday morning at the residence of Mr. C. N. Gerald, No. 1614 Market street, were held yesterday morning at 9 o'clock at the residence. The services were conducted by Rev. W. V. McRae, pastor of Trinity Methodist church. Interment followed at the Prospect church burying ground.

Farris 10c Pullman bread. It makes delicious toast. (advertisement)

# OCTOBER 1st

## MOVING DAY WITH MANY WILMINGTON FAMILIES

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To Furnish the New House Properly  
Don't You Need a Few Extra Pieces for the Parlor,  
Library or Living Room—  
How About the Hall and Bed Rooms—Is the Kitchen Equipment Complete—What About Dining Room Furnishings

## These are Questions for You Alone to Consider---What's the Answer?

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Select what you want before you move—a small payment down and we will hold the goods for you until you need them, when you move into your new home.

Select what you want at your leisure—do it now, while Special September prices are in effect. Our stocks are complete, in fact too complete, if such a thing is possible; anyway, we are still overstocked, which is the reason our prices are lower than usual, right now.

You owe it to yourself and family to have a well-furnished, comfortable home. Let us assist you to this end.

### Furniture of All Grades

You can indulge your most lavish fancy in high grade furniture here, or you can purchase the medium and cheaper grades.

We have everything needed to completely furnish your home at the price you wish to pay. We have price and quality to suit your needs and fit your pocket book, no matter whether you be a millionaire or a day laborer.

No order is too large for us to fill, nor one too small to receive our best attention, and our full appreciation of your patronage.

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## WOULD LOCATE PAPER PLANT IN WILMINGTON

(Continued From Page Five.)

tem, trolley cars to all parts of the city, will carry the men to and from work, adding to their comfort and the finances of the town.

A paper mill of 50 tons daily capacity will spend about \$40,000 a year within 50 miles of the city. Think what five or six would mean to every man, woman and child. There is no reason to doubt that this number of mills can be induced to come here, for every mill that comes here will buy 30,000 to 50,000 acres of land and grow their own supply of timber, therefore each mill heading down here with the general market for its raw material.

"Look at the map of North Carolina and follow the rivers that flow by the city, and by selling each mill 50,000 acres you can get some little glimpse of what lies at your door to be accomplished."

"Remember that the first mill will be all that you will be allowed to invest in, for I believe when the first lot of paper from here goes on the Northern markets, its quality will so attract the paper makers that a spirit of discontent will set in at its conditions and send him heading down here with enough money to buy his lands, build his mill, refusing to sell any of his stock."

"A pulp and paper mill you will understand, must necessarily own a substantial acreage of standing timber which it can draw upon for its raw material, and I see from the Southern Lumber Journal of this city, wherein Mr. W. H. McPherson shows from actual facts and photographs the forest of Eastern North Carolina will reproduce themselves in from 10 to 15 years sufficiently to produce on an average of from 25 to 30 cords of wood per acre each year provided the larger trees are cut out down to 10 and 12 inches across the stump. For paper making this is the most ideal situation that I know of anywhere in the country and is an advantage in favor of Wilmington as the location for one or more paper mills that will count for much with capitalists and paper manufacturers who are familiar with the underlying conditions necessary to a perpetual supply of the raw material."

TAG DAY NETS LOVAL BOYS

LEGION CONSIDERABLE SUM

Last Day of Campaign for Funds to Equip Robert Strange Playground.

By the sale of tags yesterday, the Loyal Boys' Legion realized some \$114 for the purchase of equipment for the Robert Strange playgrounds. From early morning until long after midnight, the eager faced boys and girls belonging to this club, accosted the hurrying pedestrians at every corner.

The Wilmington citizen who invaded the downtown district yesterday and escaped without making a contribution to this club, accosted the hurrying pedestrians at every corner.

The funds thus secured yesterday will run the total amount that the boys have secured up to \$250. This money will be used to purchase equipment for the Robert Strange playgrounds.

Yesterday marked the closing episode of the campaign, which has been in progress for some weeks. First they went on the streets and solicited contributions, and followed this by a lantern festival on the playgrounds—closing their campaign by the sale of tags.

The Legion desires to extend thanks to all their friends who have loyally aided them in their efforts, both yesterday and previously. They are especially grateful to Mr. C. L. Myers, manager of The Center, at Front and Princess streets, who kindly permitted the boys to use his cafeteria as a central station during their work yesterday.

STR. WILMINGTON SEASON.

Twenty Per Cent Increase of Business, Despite Other Conditions.

Labor Day closed a very successful season at Carolina Beach and it will be gratifying to the hosts of friends of the general master of the steamer Wilmington, Capt. John W. Harper, to know that in spite of the daily operation of jitney lines to the resort and the fact that each day of the season saw from 10 to 15 automobiles in operation by private parties, the steamer increased its business 20 per cent, according to the records, in fact, the past August was the best month ever recorded by the steamer Wilmington since it has been running on the majestic Cape Fear.

Next season promises to show an even greater traffic on the steamer Wilmington from the fact that a number of prominent people are already preparing to build there, as always in spite of jitneys, trolleys, bicycles and every other form of transportation, there is nothing that can take the place of a trip on the beautiful steamer Wilmington with the jolly Captain Harper in the wheel house.

Elsewhere in today's paper will be found the winter schedule of the steamer Wilmington, which will make its trips as usual from Wilmington on Southport, touching at the various points along the river as of yore.

It is good to know that the steamer Wilmington has lost none of its old-time popularity and that the season just ended was one of the best it has ever had.

AUTO SMASHED BY STREET CAR.

Ford Driven by Miss Edna Craft Damaged at Sixth and Princess.

A suburban car of the Tidewater Power Co., leaving the junction at 10 o'clock last night for the beach, at Sixth and Princess streets, ran into and badly damaged a Ford touring car being driven by Miss Edna Craft and which had stalled on the tracks, presumably because the gasoline in the tank had given out.

Miss Craft was alone in the car at the time and was driving south on Sixth street when the car stopped, leaving the rear of the machine on the tracks. When the motor stopped the electric lights went out and the automobile was not seen by Motorman Milligan or Conductor John W. Smith, in charge of the street car, until they were within a very short distance of it.

The motorman applied his emergency brakes hurriedly, but too late to prevent the car from crashing into the rear of the auto, tearing off both rear wheels and one of the front ones and otherwise damaging the body of the machine.

Miss Craft fortunately escaped with no injury, though the automobile was skidded along on the tracks for some considerable distance.

## CAPTAIN MATHESON TO ASSUME TEMPORARY CHARGE OF OFFICE

To Act as United States Engineer Pending Major Waldron's Arrival.

Capt. J. R. D. Matheson, in local charge of the construction of locks and dams on the Cape Fear river, will assume temporary charge of the office of the United States Engineer for the Wilmington district about September 10, pending the arrival of Maj. Albert E. Waldron, of Washington, D. C., who will arrive here about September 20 and take permanent charge of the local engineering district.

Capt. Clarence S. Ridley, who has been in charge of the district for the past year, will leave on or about September 10, for Fort Leavenworth, Kan., where he will enter the next class at the Army Field Engineering School.

Kennedy Hearing Postponed.

Deputy Revenue Collector J. R. Kennedy was arrested yesterday morning by Deputy Sheriff A. L. Kelly on a warrant sworn out against him by Mr. A. L. Jones, charging assault with deadly weapon. Justice W. A. McGowan postponed a hearing in the case until Monday morning, and recognized Deputy Kennedy for his appearance at that time.

## Get Rid of Sunburn and Tan.

The delightful way to stop Sunburn is the Magnolia Balm way. It heals the scorched skin and is soothing and refreshing. No matter if you do Tan or Freckle, Magnolia Balm will quickly clear your skin of these blemishes. Just put a little on your face and rub it off again before dry. Easy to use and sure to please.

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520 Dock Street. Ten large rooms, all conveniences, very large lot. Price \$40.00.

116 So. Fifth Street. Upper apartment of six rooms in best of condition. Convenient and good location. \$30.00.

414 Chestnut Street. Nine room house, all conveniences, only three squares from Front street. Will make necessary repairs as desired by tenant. Price \$32.50.

☐ We render intelligent and prompt service to both owner and tenant, we employ both system and tact in our business transactions; thus insuring pleasant business relations and general satisfaction to all with whom we come in contact.

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☐ If you want to rent a house we can find one for you without trouble and delay, we make it our business to keep in touch with all property for rent in Wilmington and suburbs and our list affords a wide range of choice.

☐ If you expect to move at any time in the near future save both, time, trouble and worry by communicating with us and we will devote as much time as you desire in getting you satisfied.

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1830 Wolcott Avenue. Nine rooms, slate roof house, all conveniences, best of condition. Convenient to car line. Price \$30.00.

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215 South Second. Ten room house. Splendid location for boarders. Price \$25.00.

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### GREAT BENEFIT TO MOTHERS

Dr. Nesbitt Tells of Splendid Work That Has Been Done by Milk Station in Wilmington

The education of the mothers of Wilmington in the proper care of their babies has been one of the greatest benefits derived from the milk station, established through the efforts of Sorosis, according to Dr. Chas. T. Nesbitt, county health officer, who spoke in the highest terms yesterday of the splendid work that has been done since it was inaugurated on July 11th. Miss Christine Pinner, public health nurse, has had charge of the station which is maintained in the basement of the court house in quarters especially fitted up for this purpose.

The station was opened on July 11th with only two babies to be supplied with milk but it was not long until the mothers of the city began to learn of its good benefits. During the remainder of that month, Miss Pinner furnished 324 feedings to 24 different babies.

The number of babies being supplied with milk continued to grow and during the past month there were 44 babies supplied with milk while the total number of infants under Miss Pinner's care had grown from 50 in July to 59 for the latter month, or double the number for the preceding month. The total number of feedings furnished was 1,632.

The milk for the infants was adjusted in accordance with a physician's prescription and each baby fed with milk was subjected to a physical examination, so that the food can be adjusted to the child's age and its digestive powers.

"While the results to the babies themselves have been remarkably good," said Dr. Nesbitt yesterday, "one of the greatest benefits derived has been the education of the mothers. A surprisingly large number of infants were found suffering with serious digestive disturbances. Many were being fed ordinary food from the family table while others were being fed on condensed milk and badly made liquid food of other kinds. Very few of the mothers had any correct idea of the proper way of preparing feedings but what is still more unfortunate still fewer had any conception of the importance of strict cleanliness which is so necessary in preparing and handling these feedings.

The experience of these mothers during the past summer who have seen their children restored to good health and thrive under properly adjusted and properly prepared feedings is one of the most valuable educational influences. Each of these mothers will be a center of information on this subject for their friends and neighbors and the influence of this work can hardly be calculated.

The persons who have made the work of the milk station possible."

#### Free Concert Tonight

at Harbor Island Auditorium by the Don Richardson Orchestra. Night concert will be given at Auditorium instead of at Lumina. Afternoon concert at Lumina as usual. (advertisement)

Dr. Nesbitt continued, "by contributing to the Sorosis fund and the ladies of Sorosis, who have been so earnest and active in providing support for the milk station, have conferred upon the people of Wilmington a gift, the value of which is very great."

"We expect to be able to continue the work during the present month," said Dr. Nesbitt, "and we would like to continue it throughout the winter but with our present available force it is impossible owing to the fact that Miss Pinner will have to take up her school duties. The vital necessity for this work will, however, cease with the close of summer as it is during that season that there is great danger to the lives and health of babies through having improper feeding."

Dr. Nesbitt explained that in his opinion if the work is undertaken next year, it will be necessary to have larger facilities than the department now has at its disposal.

#### BETTERMENT ASSOCIATION.

Adopts Resolutions of Respect for Late Mrs. Rountree, of Wilmington.

At a recent meeting of the Betterment Association held at Poor's Knob, the following resolutions of respect for the late Mrs. Annie Rountree, an exceptionally efficient and faithful member of the association who died July 29, 1916. The resolutions read as follows:

"Resolved, That with its cold clammy palms has snatched from our Betterment Association one of its most faithful members. On July 29th, 1916, our devoted friend and sister, Mrs. Annie Rountree, received the final summons from the Most High to leave her sister workers and friends in earth to enter the celestial home above. We trust our loss is her eternal gain. To the faithful and stricken husband and daughters we extend the sympathetic tear, and ask that this affliction be overlooked by an increase of faith in Him Who doeth all things well.

"Resolved, That a page be set apart in our record book and that these resolutions be inscribed thereon for perpetual memory of our dear friend and sister, that a copy be sent to the family and a copy to the papers at her former home, Wilmington, N. C.

"MRS. MINNIE L. MEADOWS,  
"MRS. MARY JENNINGS,  
"MRS. SUSAN DAVIS,  
"MRS. GENEVA PRICE,  
"MRS. JOSEPHINE SMITH,  
"Committee."

#### MERRICK CASE HEARING

Was Held Before Judge Stacy and Appeal Statement Arranged.

At a hearing conducted by Judge W. P. Stacy in chambers at Wilmington yesterday to determine what should constitute the statement of the case of Thomas Merrick, 17 years old, colored twice convicted for the murder of Mr. Leon B. Hudson, of this city, who was killed just a little more than a year ago, a statement of the facts to go to the Supreme Court, were agreed upon by attorneys for the prosecution and the defense. Merrick, who was convicted a second time of murder at the last session of Superior Court here, is now in the State penitentiary at Raleigh, pending the outcome of his appeal. Counsel appearing for the prosecution are ex-Solicitor Rudolph Duffy and Solicitor Homer L. Lyon, while Burke Bridgers and William J. Bellamy, Esqs., appear for the defense.

### ADDITION TO FARRIS BAKERY HAS BEEN FULLY COMPLETED

Increased Facilities Installed for Making Cakes and Breads.

Improvements costing approximately \$2,000 including an addition to the rear of the building and the installation of a large cake oven and other modern equipment have just been completed at the Farris Bakery, No. 121 South Front street, and will make it possible for this establishment to render much better service to its patrons.

The large cake oven which has been constructed in the addition to the building will provide facilities for baking cakes while the old furnace will be used exclusively for the baking of bread. The bakery will make a specialty of fruit and family cakes.

Other additions to the equipment include a bread molder which will form break loaves and also rolls at the rate of 300 a minute without the need of tins being handled by persons. Another addition is a cake mixer which will greatly facilitate the making of cakes as all the work of mixing will be done on the second floor.

The second floor of the addition which is constructed of brick will be used for the storing of flour and other materials used in the bakery. Everything in the bakery has been made thoroughly sanitary, the breaks and cakes being amply protected in every way from dust and dirt.

Mr. W. T. Farris, the popular manager of the bakery, will leave shortly for New York, where he will take a special course in cake making at the Fleischman plant for the manufacture of yeast materials. He will also make a special study of the making of whole wheat and brand breads which are in great demand now. Mr. Farris is a young man, full of energy, who believes in progress and practices it and he proposes to have a bakery that will be second to none.

The Farris bakery has enjoyed a liberal patronage and it speaks well for this enterprise that its continued growth has made it possible for it to enlarge its capacity in order to meet the demands of its trade.

#### CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATION

Vacancy for Officer in Quartermaster Corps at Fort Caswell.

The United States Civil Service Commission announces a non-educational examination, at Fort Caswell, on September 21, for the position of officer in the quartermaster corps. The place pays an entrance salary of \$720 annually. There is no educational requirement, it not even being necessary for a man to be able to sign his own name. However, all applicants will be required to hold a license either as Chief Engineer of at least 100 tons register, or Assistant Engineers of at least 250 tons register.

#### FORMERLY LIVED HERE

Lawrence Pinner, Drowned off Cape Lookout, Native of This City.

Mr. Lawrence Pinner, son of Mr. J. L. Pinner, of New Bern, who was drowned off Cape Lookout on Tuesday night as told in a dispatch from New Bern in The Star yesterday, was a native of Wilmington. His father with his family moved from this city to Southport about eight years ago and later returned to New Bern, where he now lives.

### SECRETARY HUNTINGTON MAKES REPORT ON Y. M. C. A. WORK.

At Camp Glenn, Where He Recently Spent a Busy Ten Days.

According to the report made by Mr. J. B. Huntington, secretary of the Wilmington Young Men's Christian Association, to the State Y. M. C. A. committee at Charlotte, covering his recent work at Camp Glenn on behalf of the Association, the 3,700 members of the various commands at the camp are deeply appreciative of what the Y. M. C. A. is doing for them and show it by attending the religious and educational services in large numbers.

Under Secretary Huntington's supervision the following activities were carried on in a period of ten days: Five lantern slide lectures, attendance 310; two Sunday night services, attendance 175; one mid-week service, attendance 79; visits to hospitals, 8; total sick visited 229; 79 new recruits met and inducted into the Y. M. C. A.; 100 personal interviews on life problems, 49; "Singer" using college and religious songs, seven, with average attendance of 48; average number of letters written daily at Y. M. C. A. tent, 300; average daily visitors to tent, 100.

The above work which was inaugurated by Secretary Huntington will be carried on this week by Secretary Stevenson, of the Spencer Y. M. C. A.

#### OVERLAND CARS PLAY AT

1st Annual Political Elections, the Automobile is Now Almost Indispensable.

"Give me the use of an automobile and I'll see that your candidate is elected," said a local political worker recently and his statement impressively brought to mind the important part the motor car plays in the modern political campaign.

In this day of efficient, but inexpensive automobiles, the average office seeker would as soon concede defeat as to trust his political future to the old methods of transportation to and from the various meetings he has to attend in order to gather his votes.

With this year's campaign well under way, automobile dealers in every metropolitan city, village and hamlet have tuned up their cars and perfected their service facilities for the hard campaign grind which will not be concluded until the November election day rolls around.

"That little Overland elected him," said a political conversationalist the other day, referring to a present incumbent of office. And thus is revealing a remarkable development in campaigning.

Before the automobile came into popular use, the campaign manager who could attend three or four ward meetings in one night was doing very well. Today, however, he drives a fast car, the speedier the better, and if he hasn't covered about a dozen meetings before he gets home he feels that he has been loafing on the job. His motor car has taken him from the church to the dance hall, from the dance hall to the public school, and from the public school to the rear of a saloon or wherever the meeting is being held, irrespective of street car lines and walking distance.

And likewise the campaigner for national or state office. No more slow going lively rigs for him. No longer does he depend on the local trains with countless stops just where it is unnecessary for the candidate to strain

over exerted vocal cords for votes. Instead as he climbs into a comfortable touring car, accompanied by his manager and local workers—also newspapermen if they are available—and goes just where it will do him the most good when election comes around. Furthermore, he covers twice the territory in less than half the time it required under the steam and engine methods of transportation.

"Yes, it sure will be a busy summer," said H. L. Fennell, local representative of The Willis-Overland Company, of Toledo, Ohio, builders of Overland and Willis-Knight cars. "I have been in the automobile business long enough to know just what to expect. To hold our territory, we Overland men have to specialize on prompt and economical service. That's one of the hobbies of John N. Willis and, believe me, we will know what service means, before the election next November."

"Along comes a telephone call about 1:30 in the morning and we learn that the candidate for congress, or something or other, wants his car cleaned up and overhauled and ready for starting away at six o'clock. He must be in Voterville by nine in the forenoon because there's a big funeral over there and he wants to catch the crowd on its way back from the cemetery. If we have an efficient service station, we have the car ready for him just when it is wanted. If our service department is not up to standard and the car isn't turned out in good shape we get as much abuse as the opposite candidate. That's why we aim to give efficient service."

"The finest thing about handling Overland cars is the fact that the factory is right on hand every minute to co-operate in seeing that you are kept well stocked with parts and other supplies. If any candidate who drives an Overland loses out next fall it will not be because of automobile trouble. All over the country Overland dealers are waiting to give him the best possible service. From a business standpoint, we are non-partisan and out for all the candidates. We have the car best suited for campaigning and we are going to watch with much interest the way the other cars stand up in competition with it."

#### CHARLOTTE MAKES REDUCTION

New Model Reduced to \$490—New Factory in Atlanta, Ga.

An announcement made in the advertising columns of the press throughout the country today will be read with more than a general passing interest, particularly by those who appreciate attractive opportunities in the purchase of an automobile.

The Chevrolet Motor Co., of Atlanta, is announcing a new "Four-Ninety" model of the Chevrolet, the name alone indicating the price—\$490—which has been reduced from \$550. The new model is a complete car, electrically equipped with lights and starter. It is claimed by its builders that this makes of the Chevrolet the lowest priced, electrically equipped car in the world.

This reduction in the price of this popular car has been made in keeping with the modern policies of the Chevrolet company, which is fast putting it to the front as one of the most progressive automobile companies in the country. Today this growth and progressiveness is amply attested in the fact that the company is soon to establish in Atlanta one of its large

factories and just as soon as all necessary details can be arranged will have a large force of men employed in its Southern factory. It already maintains factories in New York City, Tarrytown on the Hudson, Flint, Mich.; St. Louis, Oakland, Ca.; Oshawa, Can., and Ft. Worth, Tex.

The Atlanta company is carrying and will continue to carry a large stock of all models of the Chevrolet cars and are able to supply immediate needs of dealers. The Chevrolet Motor Co., of Atlanta, announces no more will there be any delays and that all arrangements have been completed for immediate shipments from some one factory of all models desired; in addition, that a perfected Chevrolet service has been arranged and all orders for parts, etc., received in the Atlanta office up to 4 P. M. of any day will be shipped from Atlanta that same day. The company expects to make the 1917 season the big banner year of the existence of the Chevrolet house.

The reduction in the price of the Chevrolet to \$490 has been the aim of W. C. Durant, the master car builder, since the conception of the idea of the Chevrolet and the perfection of all his plans has permitted this realization of

what might well be called a dream. It is claimed that the car has lost none of its quality, beauty and class by the price reduction, but on the other hand, these things have been enlarged upon and that now a purchaser gets all the quality, efficient service and durability of a high-priced car at the low cost of \$490—the new model embodies a number of improvements and refinements over the 41,000 of the same model now in service throughout the country.

One of the many strong features of the Chevrolet "Four-Ninety" is the fact that it has eight exclusive and highly durable mechanical features, most of them patented which cannot be secured in any other car, regardless of price. One of the recent noted achievements of the Chevrolet "Four-Ninety" was its famous run of 31 miles from the center of the city of Oakland, Cal., to the top of Mt. Diablo. Its record was 68 1-2 minutes, beating the old record held by a six cylinder car by 14 minutes. The difficult part of this run is the last 11 miles, which includes the ascent of Mt. Diablo itself. These 11 miles of sharp grades running as high as 25 per cent and numerous sharp turns were traveled by the Chevrolet in 29 1-2 minutes.

## W.B. CORSETS




### W.B. Nuform Corsets

give Style, Comfort and perfectly fitting Gown. Long wearing, they assure the utmost in a corset at most Economical Price. \$3.00 to \$1.00.

### W.B. Reduso Corsets

make large hips disappear; bulky waist-lines more graceful; awkward bust-lines smaller and neater, and have the "old corset" comfort with the first fitting. \$5.00 and \$3.00.

WEINGARTEN BROS., Inc. New York, Chicago, San Francisco



## President Wilson's Speech Of Acceptance Delivered Yesterday

Senator James, Gentlemen of the National Committee, Fellow Citizens—I cannot accept the leadership and responsibility which the National Democratic Convention has again, in such generous fashion, asked me to accept without first expressing my profound gratitude to the party for the trust it reposes in me after four years of duty in the midst of affairs of unprecedented difficulty, and the keen sense of added responsibility with which this honor fills (I had almost said burdens) me as I think of the great issues of national life and policy involved in the present and immediate future conduct of our government. I shall seek, as I have always sought, to justify the extraordinary confidence thus reposed in me by striving to purge my heart and purpose of every personal and of every misleading party motive and devoting every energy I have to the service of the nation as a whole, praying that I may continue to have the counsel and support of all forward-looking men at every turn of the difficult business.

For I do not doubt that the people of the United States wish the Democratic party to continue in control of the government. They are not in the habit of rejecting those who have actually served them for those who are making no claim to have done so. They are likely to substitute those who promised to render them particular services and proved false to that promise for those who have actually rendered those services.

Boasting is always an empty business, which pleases nobody but the boaster, and I have no disposition to boast of what the Democratic party has accomplished. It has merely done its duty. It has merely fulfilled its explicit promises. But there can be no violation of good faith in calling attention to the manner in which those promises have been carried out or in advertising to the interesting fact that many of the things accomplished were what the opposition party had again and again promised to do but had left undone. Indeed, that is manifestly part of the business of this year of reckoning and assessment. There is no means of judging the future except by assessing the past. Constructive action must be weighed against destructive comment and reaction. The Democrats either have or have not understood the varied interests of the country. The test is contained in the record.

What is that record? What were the Democrats called into power to do? What things had long waited to be done, and how did the Democrats do them? It is a record of extraordinary length and variety, rich in elements of many kinds, but consistent in principle throughout and susceptible of brief recapitulation.

The Republican party was put out of power because of failure, practical failure and moral failure; because it had served special interests and not the country at large; because, under the leadership of its preferred and established "leaders" of those who made its choices, it had lost touch with the thoughts and the needs of the nation and was living in a past age and under a fixed illusion, the illusion of greatness. It had framed tariff laws based upon a fear of foreign trade, a fundamental doubt as to American skill, enterprise, and capacity, and a tender regard for the profitable privileges of those who had made the control of domestic markets and domestic credits; and yet had enacted anti-trust laws which hampered the very things they meant to foster, which were stiff and elastic and in part unintelligible. It had permitted the country throughout the long period of its control to stagger from one financial crisis to another under the operation of a national banking law of its own framing which made emergency and panic certain and the control of the larger business operations of the country by the bankers of a few reserve centers inevitable; had made as if it meant to reform the law but had faintly failed in the attempt, because it could not bring itself to do the one thing necessary to make the reform genuine and effectual, namely, break up the country of small groups of bankers. It had been oblivious, or indifferent, to the fact that the farmers, upon whom the country depends for its food and in the last analysis for its prosperity, were being starved in the matter of commercial credit, without the protection of standards in their market transactions, and without systematic knowledge of the markets themselves; that the laborers of the country, the great army of men who man the industries, it was professing to foster and promote, carried their labor as a mere commodity to market, were left to the restraint of novel and drastic processes in the courts, were without assurance of compensation for industrial accidents, without Federal assistance in accommodating labor disputes, and without national aid or advice in finding the places and the industries in which their labor was most needed. The country had no national system of road construction and development. Little intelligent attention was paid to the navy, and the Republic of America distrusted us, because they found that we thought first of the profits of American investors and only as an afterthought of impartial justice and helpful friendship. Its policy was provincial in all things; its purposes were out of harmony with the temper and purpose of the people and the timely development of the nation's interests.

So things stood when the Democratic party came into power. How do they stand now? Alike in the domestic field and in the world, American business and life and industry have been set free to move as they never moved before. The tariff has been revised, not on the principle of repelling foreign trade, but upon the principle of encouraging it, upon something like a footing of equality with our own in respect of the terms of competition, and a Tariff Board has been created whose function it will be to keep the relations of American with foreign business and industry under constant observation, for the guidance alike of our business men and of our Congress. American energies are now directed towards the markets of the world.

The laws against trusts have been clarified by definition, with a view to making it plain that they were not directed against big business but only against unfair business and the pretense of competition where there was none; and a Trade Commission has been created with powers of guidance and accommodation which have relieved

business men of unfounded fears and set them upon the road of hopeful and confident enterprise. By the Federal Reserve Act the supply of currency at the disposal of active business has been rendered elastic, taking its volume, not from a fixed body of investment securities, but from liquid assets of daily trade; and these assets are assessed and accepted, not by distant groups of bankers in control of unavailable reserves, but by bankers at the many centers of local exchange who are in touch with local conditions everywhere.

Effective measures have been taken for the re-creation of an American merchant marine and the revival of the American carrying trade indispensable to our emancipation from the control which bareheaded speculation had exercised over the opportunities, the routes, and the methods of our commerce with other countries.

The Interstate Commerce Commission is about to be reorganized to enable it to perform its great and important functions more promptly and more efficiently. We have created, extended and improved the service of the parcel post.

So much we have done for business. What other party has understood the task so well or executed it so intelligently and energetically? What other party has accepted it at all? The Republican leaders, apparently, know of no means of assisting business but "protection." How to stimulate it and put it upon a new footing of energy and enterprise they have not suggested.

For the farmers of the country we have virtually created commercial credit, by means of the Federal Reserve Act and the Rural Credits Act. They now have the standard of other business men in the money market. We have successfully regulated speculation in "futures" and established standards in the marketing of grains. By an intelligent Warehouse Act we have assisted to make the standard crops available as never before, both for systematic marketing and as a security for loans from the banks. We have greatly added to the work of neighborhood demonstration on the farm itself of improved methods of cultivation, and through the intelligent extension of the functions of the Department of Agriculture, have made it possible for the farmer to learn systematically where his best markets are and how to get at them.

The workmen of America have been given a veritable emancipation, by the legal recognition of a man's labor as part of his life, and not a mere marketable commodity; by exempting labor organizations from processes of the courts which treated their members like chattels; by making and not like accessible and responsible individuals; by releasing our seamen from involuntary servitude; by making adequate provision for compensation for industrial accidents; by providing suitable machinery for mediation and conciliation in industrial disputes; and by putting the Federal Department of Labor at the disposal of the workmen when in search of work.

We have effected the emancipation of the children of the country by releasing them from harmful labor. We have instituted a system of national aid in the building of highways such as the country has been feeling after for a century. We have sought to equalize taxation by means of an equitable income tax. We have taken the steps that ought to have been taken to open up to the resources of Alaska. We have provided for national defense upon a scale never before seriously proposed upon the responsibility of an entire political party. We have driven the tariff lobby from cover and obliged it to substitute solid argument for private influence.

This extraordinary record must sound like a platform, a list of vague promises; but it is not. It is a record of promises made four years ago and now actually redeemed in constructive legislation.

These things must profoundly disturb the thoughts and confound the plans of those who have made themselves believe that the Democratic party neither understood nor was ready to assist the business of the country, that the Republic of America is its evident and inevitable destiny to undertake and carry through. The breaking up of the lobby must especially disconcert them; for it was through the party that they fought and were sure they had found the heart of things. The game of privilege can be played successfully by no other means.

This record must equally astonish those who feared that the Democratic party had not opened its heart to comprehend the demands of social justice. We have in four years come very near to carrying out the platform of the Progressive party as well as our own; for we also are aggressive. There is one circumstance connected with this programme which ought to be very plainly stated. It was resisted through the party by the interests which the Republican party had catered to and fostered at the expense of the country, and these same interests are now earnestly praying for a reversion to the policy of the party of the past, for the restoration of their sworn friends to power before it is too late to recover what they have lost. They fought with particular desperation to inhibit the reform of the banking and currency system, knowing that to be the citadel of their control; and most anxiously they are hating and planning for the amendment of the Federal Reserve Act by the concentration of control in a single bank which the old familiar group of bankers can keep under their eye and direction. But while the "big money" is so intent upon the tariff and the money market, the party that once every day in his heart, that the "big men" should return to power, the party of mastery inactivity and cunning resourcefulness in standing pat to resist change.

The Republican party is just the party that cannot meet the new conditions. It tried to break away from the old leaders and could not. They still select its candidates and dictate its policy, and the party that once every day in his heart, that the "big men" should return to power, the party of mastery inactivity and cunning resourcefulness in standing pat to resist change.

have the right to ask the American people to give it power again; but not until then. A new age, an age of revolutionary change, needs new purposes and new ideas.

In foreign affairs we have been guided by principles clearly conceived and consistently lived up to. Perhaps they have not been fully comprehended because they have hitherto covered international affairs only in theory, not in practice. They are simple, obviously easily stated, and fundamentally to American ideals.

We have been neutral not only because it was the fixed and traditional policy of the United States to stand aloof from the politics of Europe and because we had no part either of action or of policy in the influences which brought on the present war, but also because it was manifestly our duty to prevent, if it were possible, the indefinite extension of the strife of hate and dissolution kindled by that terrible conflict and seek to serve mankind by reserving our strength and our resources for the anxious and difficult days of restoration and reconstruction which must follow when peace will have to build its house anew.

The rights of our citizens of course became involved; that was inevitable. The United States was not a principle; that property rights can be vindicated by claims for damages and no modern nation can decline to arbitrate such claims; but the United States was not a principle. The loss of life is irreparable. Neither can direct violations of a nation's sovereignty await vindication in suits for damages. The United States is not a principle. These essential rights must expect to be checked and called to account by direct challenge and resistance. It at once makes the quarrel in part our own. These are plain principles, and we have never lost sight of them or departed from them, whatever the stress or the perplexity of circumstances or the provocation to hasty resentment. The record is clear and definite for anyone to judge who wishes to know the truth about it.

The seas are not broad enough to keep the infection of the conflict out of our own politics. The passions and intrigues of certain active groups and combinations of men amongst us who were born under foreign flags injected the poison of disloyalty into our own most critical affairs, laid violent hands upon many of our industries, and subjected us to the shame of divisions of sentiment and purpose in which America was contemned and forgotten. It is part of the business of this year of reckoning and assessment to speak plainly and act with unmistakable purpose in rebuke of these things, in order that they may be forever impossible.

While Europe was at war our own continent, one of our own neighbors, was shaken by revolution. In that matter, too, we were not passive. It was imperative that we should live up to it if we were to deserve the trust of any real partisans of the right as free men see it. We have professed to believe, and do believe, that the people of small and weak states have the right to expect to be dealt with exactly as the people of big and powerful states would be. We have acted upon that principle in dealing with the people of Mexico.

Our recent pursuit of bandits into Mexican territory was no violation of that principle. We ventured to enter Mexican territory only because there were no military forces in Mexico that could protect our border from hostile attack and our own people from violence, and we have committed there no single act of hostility or interference with the internal affairs of the Republic of Mexico herself. It was a plain case of the violation of our own sovereignty which could not wait to be vindicated by damages and for which there was no other remedy. The authorities of Mexico were powerless to prevent it.

Many serious wrongs against the property, many irreparable wrongs against the persons of Americans have been committed within the territory of Mexico herself during this confused revolution, wrongs which could not be effectually checked so long as there was no one in a position to check them. We could not act directly in that matter ourselves without denying Mexicans the right to any revolution at all which disturbed us and making the emancipation of her own people await our own interest and convenience.

For it is their emancipation that they are seeking—blindly, it may be, and as ineffectually, but with profound and passionate purpose and within their unquestionable right, apply what true American principle we will—any principle that an American would publicly disavow. The people of Mexico have not been suffered to own their own country or direct their own institutions. Outsiders, men out of other nations and with interests

Keeping Yourself Well

DRIVING OUT CATARRH

If people know how the presence of catarrh is a constant menace they would have none of it. It infests some part of the delicately adjusted body and makes it useless, thus throwing on the other organs more than their share of work. It affords a carefully prepared seed-bed for the germs of colds, grip, tuberculosis and pneumonia. It so disarranges Nature's delicate plans as to make possible asthma, hay fever and other respiratory disorders. It spreads until it becomes systemic, thus involving many organs and debilitating the whole system with serious results.

Catarrh is easily neglected, and it rarely gets well of itself. It needs proper medicinal correction. For almost half a century many thousands have found help in Peruna, a valuable tonic with special properties for the treatment of catarrh. The aim is to clean out waste matter, to dispel the catarrhal inflammation and to build up the system. It has users willingly testify that it has done all this and even more for catarrh sufferers. It is what it has done is the best proof of what it will do. You may rely on Peruna.

too often alien to their own, have dictated what their privileges and opportunities should be and who should control their land, their lives, and their resources—some of them Americans, pressing for things they could never have got in their own country. The Mexican people are entitled to attempt their liberty from such influences and so long as I have anything to do with the action of our great government I shall do everything in my power to prevent anyone standing in their way. I know that this is hard for some persons to understand, but it is not hard for the plain people of the United States to understand. It is hard doctrine only for those who wish to get something for themselves and so long as I have anything to do with the action of our great government I shall do everything in my power to prevent anyone standing in their way. I know that this is hard for some persons to understand, but it is not hard for the plain people of the United States to understand. 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## AMENDMENTS OF VERY GREAT IMPORTANCE

### Prominent Men of State Point Out Necessity for them

Mr. W. S. Wilson Writes Letter to Prominent Democrats and Republicans for Their Views—Judge Manning Writes.

Raleigh, N. C., Sept. 1.—Mr. W. S. Wilson, Legislative Reference Librarian, is receiving replies to a circular letter he recently sent out to the Democratic and Republican candidates for all State, district and legislative offices and about 100 men representing both parties, asking for their views on the four proposed amendments to the State constitution to be voted on in the coming November election. Mr. Wilson's letter and some of the replies thereto follow:

Dear Sir: The General Assembly of 1915 enacted four amendments to the Constitution which are to be voted on at the November election. They are:

1. To restrict local, private and special legislation.
2. To prevent delays in trials by providing emergency judges.
3. To prevent special charters to corporations by the General Assembly.
4. To prevent special charters to towns, cities and incorporated villages.

In order to give publicity to these important measures, I am writing to a number of prominent men in the State for a statement of their views concerning them, and will duplicate their replies and furnish them to the newspapers for publication.

The Press Association has endorsed these amendments and has agreed to urge their adoption.

Amendments 1, 3 and 4 are intended to restrict the ever-increasing volume of local and private laws, and to provide for the enactment of general, uniform, state-wide laws under which counties and municipalities will have greatly enlarged self-governing privileges, and all private corporations will be placed on like footing as to charter powers and rights.

From 1909 to 1915, inclusive, there were enacted by the General Assembly 1,549 pages of public laws, and 11,017 pages of private and local laws. Eighty-eight per cent of the volume of legislation during this period has been local and private. The authority given and relief granted in 90 per cent of this mass of legislation could have been provided for in a more satisfactory manner by the enactment of general laws which would probably have required 500 printed pages.

Amendment No. 2 is proposed for the purpose of meeting the widely prevalent condition of over-crowded court dockets. At present there is no provision for filling a temporary vacancy caused by illness of the judge or otherwise, and thousands of dollars are unnecessarily spent each year and trials are longer delayed because of this defect in our judicial system. The constitutional guarantee that litigants shall have remedy by the course of law, and right and justice administered without sale, denial or delay appears to have been lost sight of in the makeshift of over legislation.

It is a rare occurrence that a case on appeal gets to its final hearing within a shorter time than three to five years.

The people may well trust the conservatism of North Carolina legislators to see to it that no loop hole will be permitted for the abuse of the power to be delegated by them for appointing emergency judges.

I shall be glad to have a letter from you for publication in the manner herein suggested.

Yours very truly,  
W. S. WILSON,  
Legislative Reference Librarian.

The constitutional amendments to be voted upon at the election in November are of very great importance to the people of the State.

The first, third and fourth, intending to restrict the power of the legislature to enact local, private and special legislation, to prevent the charter of corporations by special act and special charters for towns, cities and incorporated villages, if adopted by the people of the State, will relieve the General Assembly of a great burden and will relieve the State of a great expense.

The complaint has been justly made that legislation of state-wide importance and interest does not receive the careful and mature consideration that it ought to receive. This is due in a large measure to the mass of private and local legislation which consumes the time and attention of the several members of the General Assembly, and all these classes of legislation can well be covered by general acts and they ought to be.

The present general law of the State for the charter of corporations is simple and adequate for every reasonable purpose. I have held the opinion for several years that no charter ought to be granted by the State until the articles of incorporation had been submitted to the Attorney General's office. In this particular alone is the present general law, in my opinion, defective.

The cost to the State of the local legislation is very large. It requires at least two-thirds of the time of the members of the General Assembly and frequently makes the halls of the legislature a place for the airing of local quarrels and differences, to the serious detriment of legislation of state-wide importance and interest. The only way the power of the legislature in these particulars can be restricted is by constitutional amendments, such as are proposed.

While deeply convinced of the value to the State of the adoption of the first, third and fourth amendments proposed, I am doubtful about the value of the

## "MOSQUITOES" SPREAD DISEASE

Use Miller's Antiseptic Oil (known as Snake Oil), drives away, prevents, cures, cuts or burns; it is said to be without an equal; should be in every home. Guaranteed, 25c and 50c. Accept no substitutes. At leading druggists.

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second. In the states that have tried the emergency judge legislation, my information is that it has not proven satisfactory. I can, of course, conceive occasions when it might serve a useful purpose, but these are rare, and I do not believe the congested condition of court dockets in the counties of the State is due to the lack of an emergency judge. Of course, I readily grant that there would be less abuse of this power, if it should be conferred upon the legislature by the people of the State, in North Carolina than, perhaps, in any other State.

J. S. MANNING.  
Raleigh, N. C., Aug. 29, 1916.

I am heartily in favor of all four of the proposed amendments to the constitution to be voted on at the November election. All of them are of great importance.

To my mind the first, third and fourth are especially important and will be of great benefit to the State. There is no reason whatever why the General Assembly should spend its time with all this local legislation which can be better done by other agencies.

A. M. SCALES.  
Greensboro, N. C., Aug. 29, 1916.

### BIG STRIDES MADE IN PERFECTION OF STEEL

Best Obtainable Today Makes Up Eighth of Dodge Car's Weight.

Science has devoted much attention during the last few years to the development of a higher quality steel. The research and experimental work, in fact, has been in progress for years but it is within the more recent period of the automobile's Aladdin-like evolution that the greatest progress has been made. Steels are made today that bring almost the price of gold.

Among the finest of these higher grade steels is the chrome vanadium steel. It is, in fact, the highest of the high. John A. Matthews, Ph. D., Sc. D., said in an article in the Mining and Metallurgical section of the Journal of the Franklin Institute, in May, 1909, that "For excellent quality, this product constitutes the highest attainment of the steel maker's art." He adds:

"From a wide experience with all types of alloys, it is my opinion that where a better material than the best nickel is needed, and especially when dynamic excellence is sought, the appropriate types of vanadium chrome steels may be unreservedly commended. They forge well and machine more readily than chrome nickels or corresponding carbon percentages."

It is evident from the comment of this expert, and from other statistics easily accessible, that wherever there is a tendency toward liberal use of chrome vanadium steels, there is a decided tendency toward high quality production.

The Dodge Brothers Motor car affords a striking example of thoroughness in this direction. One eighth of the car's total weight is made up by chrome vanadium steels. This is a fact that has been marveled at and admired by engineers the world over, as an immense amount of money obviously is expended here on the finest types of steels where cheaper types might serve. However, the hobby of the two Dodge Brothers is thoroughness, and higher cost of production is not permitted to stand in the way of a reasonable approach to mechanical perfection. That their policy in this respect is sound when considered from the standpoint of good will, and profitable when viewed from the commercial angle, is evident in the amazing growth of the Dodge Brothers business. Almost unbelievable feats of endurance are being recorded day after day by Dodge Brothers cars and their popularity is attested to by the fact that within less than two years they have risen to fourth place in the industry.

Dodge Brothers consider this ample support of their belief that quality should be the first and last consideration in the manufacture of a motor car.

### AVERAGE PRICE OVER \$20

More Than Three Quarters of a Million Pounds of Tobacco Sold.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Rocky Mount, N. C., Sept. 2.—More than three quarters of a million pounds of the bright leaf sold at an average in excess of \$20 per hundred pounds represents the work of the Rocky Mount market in the five sales days of this week. The week just closed saw the largest daily offerings of any time since the season started and with the curing practically completed in all sections and the grading going on rapidly it may be expected that for some weeks now the sales will show gradual increases over those of the week previous. The sales on Friday were so heavy that the double sales were unsuccessful of disposing of the entire offering and both this morning went to work on the offerings in the last warehouse and this was wound up about noon.

### "Look Pa, How 'Gets-It' Works!"

Lifts Your Corn Right Off. Never Falls.

"Ever in your life see a corn come out like that? Look at the true skin underneath so smooth as the palm of your hand!"



Well Now, Look at That! Off Comes That Pesky Corn as Sick as a Whistle.

The earth is blessed with the one, simple, painless, never-failing remedy that makes millions of corn-pesetered people happy, and that's "GETS-IT." Apply it in 3 seconds. Some people jab and dig at their corns with knives and razors—wrap their toes in packages with bandages or sticky tape, make them red and raw with salt. Nothing like this with "GETS-IT." Your corn loosens—you lift it off. There's nothing to press on the corn, or hurt. Angela couldn't ask for more. Try it tonight on any corn, callus or wart. "GETS-IT" is sold and recommended by druggists everywhere. A bottle, or sent on receipt of price by E. Lawrence & Co., Chicago, Ill. Sold in Wilmington and recommended as the world's best corn remedy by R. R. Bellamy, Smith Drug Store, Southside Drug Co.

## HOUSEHOLD AND DOMESTIC

Department of Education and Inspiration for the Housewife—Menus, Recipes, Kitchen Economics, Etc.

(By Jean Prescott Adams, Domestic Science Adviser for Armour & Co.)

What to put into the lunch basket is decidedly a more perplexing problem than what to have for dinner. One is so much more limited in choice of foods. Besides it is always rather difficult to prepare a meal to be kept fresh several hours and then served somewhere else. Of all meals, however, that will not stand slighting and quickly throwing together this very mid-day meal is the one.

I recall some of the lunch boxes of my pupils in the first school I taught. There were in some cases sandwiches of bread cut fully an inch thick—there were actual chunks of cold meats, there was soggy cake, and there were greasy doughnuts. It was absolutely unteachable after the noon hour. They required all their energy to digest part of that awful food. Besides there had been no daintiness in packing or preparation to cause the gastric juices to flow readily. All the blood was drawn from the brain to the stomach to assist their. Even the brightest pupil would be laggard minded after such lunches as some children eat.

We realize that in the hurry of preparing breakfast, getting the children ready for school and answering the thousand and one questions as "Where are my books?" "Where is my sweater?" etc., it seems that there is no time in which to put up lunches. However, if it must be done in your case, it must be well done. Some Mothers simply refuse to put up lunches, and allow children to buy their lunches, according to their whim at school stores. The result is they purchase what they wish of cheap cakes and candies. Often such food is not clean. Almost without exception it is detrimental to the child's educational and physical advancement. Unless there is a school lunch or a good restaurant for your children to patronize it is far wiser for you to take on this little extra service.

**Nutritious Luncheons for Children**  
Amounts and combinations of foods should be varied to suit the ages of those to partake. Children require an abundance of simple food carefully prepared. Healthy children are almost ceaselessly active during waking hours and need wholesome food to supply energy for this healthy activity. The importance of their diet cannot be overestimated when we stop to think that what they eat is foundation material. We want to give them the materials for strong constitutions, healthy and efficient manhood and womanhood. It costs only a bit of thinking, planning and guiding. Where there is the possibility of a hot dish at noon, possibly in the school-lunch counter, encourage them to take hot soup or bouillon, just before eating the luncheon they carry. It is wise to pack a piece of fruit or half a sandwich separate so it can be eaten at recess without the wrapping around the main lunch being loosened.

**What to Drink.**  
The water question is just as important as food. Under the circumstances should children be allowed iced drinks. Fruit juices are most healthful for children to drink. Grape juice is a perfect beverage giving refreshment and providing mineral salts. To prepare the luncheons, cut the bread to medium thickness. Spread evenly with the very best creamy butter or not according that, use a high grade margarine. The great difference we pay for butter is for flavor only. The oleomargarine is of equal food value and unquestionable purity. In very cold weather keep a dish of butter out of the refrigerator so as to have it soft enough to spread. When sandwiches are made cut each into two triangles. Very fastidious people often like a sandwich cut in four pieces. It is not wise to encourage "notions" about eating however.

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## GENERAL DEFICIENCY BILL PASSES SENATE

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vainly to the last against overwhelming odds. Coercion is charged. Republican senators and a few of the Democrats declared unhesitatingly that Congress was being coerced, dictated to, driven under the gun to the passage of a permanent character.

Other senators, chiefly progressive Republicans, among them Cummins, Kenyon, and Norris, said that labor was getting a bad bargain, "a brasserie gold brick," a "bumbug," that they were conceding to Congress the right to legislate on the question of wages, a concession which in their opinion, the 400,000 trainmen of the organization affected would not approve if it should be put to them for vote.

Senator Reed, taking up the cudgels for the brotherhoods in the closing hour of debate, asserted that a quorum of the House was not in Washington; that it therefore would be impossible to pass the bill if amended in any particular in time to avert the strike on Monday and that Congress would be blamed for the disaster if it were not passed in accordance with the plan designed by House leaders.

Two Amendments Defeated. This line of argument won the day and not only prevented the adoption of the Underwood amendment but also served to defeat an amendment by Senator Newlands to make interference with operation of railroad trains a misdemeanor punishable by fine and imprisonment, and an amendment by Senator La Follette which would make certain that the new law should not be construed to repeal or modify the railroad hours of service law which prohibits railroad men from working continuously more than 16 hours.

The Senate galleries were crowded to capacity when the vote was taken. The negotiations in which the agencies of the Federal government were used to avert the strike began nearly a month ago, when it became apparent that the railroad men and the government could not agree among themselves and the United States board of mediation and conciliation undertook to adjust the differences. Several days of mediation by members of the board ended without a solution of the problem, and the situation narrowed down to a point where the railroad men were willing to arbitrate some of the men's demands, but the employees were not.

der advisement and the negotiations made but little progress for several days. In the meantime the President summoned to Washington about 40 more executive heads of railroads and when the matter reached its final stage there were more than 60 in Washington.

The railroad executives considered the President's plan of settlement for a week and then notified them they could not consider endorsement of the eight-hour day with ten hours pay. They offered a counter suggestion that a question of wages such as they considered this to be, should be arbitrated, and that pending a decision by an arbitration board, the railroad would keep a fund under supervision of the Interstate Commerce Commission to pay the increased wage cost if the decision went against them and the 8-hour day was approved.

The men would not agree to this and the President put the case in the hands of Congress.

## REVIEWS RECORD MADE BY WILSON

(Continued From Page One.) banks of our country amount to six billion dollars more than was deposited under the four years of the administration of Mr. Taft.

"Four years ago in accepting the nomination of the Democratic party for the Presidency you stated that you would seek advice and counsel wherever you could obtain it upon free terms; this you have done. You uncovered and drove a mighty lobby out of the Capitol and invited Americans of all stations to come and counsel with you. The laborer with his grimy hand, the farmer with the tan of the blinding sun upon his face; the railroad men who hold the throttle, swing the lantern, and direct the rolling wheels of commerce; the banker, the artist, the lawyer, and the doctor, have come and found welcome and shared counsel with you. They knew you were free to serve that you were unbiased, unowned, and unafraid. They knew you only sought the truth, and when you found it, you were ready to challenge all of its adversaries to any conflict.

"When peace shall spread her white wings over charred and bloody worlds, in the quiet of the chamber of the just historian, when the din and roar of political antagonism shall have ceased, when the prejudice and passion of partisanship shall have died away, when principle shall actuate men and parties rather than appetite, when ambition shall no longer lure men and parties to unjust attack, the historian will record to you and your administration a foremost place in the Republic's life.

"Americans are not ungrateful; the people are not ungrateful; they recognize the thousands of difficulties that no man could foresee which you have encountered and mastered. Their verdict is already written; it has been agreed upon at the firesides of the land and has been molded in the school houses, the places of worship, and wherever Americans meet to talk over the affairs and good of their country. That verdict leaps forth from almost every American heart in undying gratitude to you for the service you have rendered, for the peace, prosperity and happiness your leadership has given, and I but voice this day the overwhelming wish of Americans everywhere for your triumphant re-election.

intimidated by any un-American or foreign influence. It had the heart beat and spoke the true sentiment of our country."

## DR. DARLINGTON FINDS CAMPS IN GOOD CONDITION. Commands Officers for Way in Which Soldiers are Cared For.

Washington, Sept. 2.—In a verbal report dealing with various features of the border camps, condition of the soldiers and sanitation works, made to Secretary Baker today, Dr. Thomas Darlington, an expert sent by the civil federation to investigate border conditions, highly commended the operations of the regular army and militia officers in caring for the soldiers and providing for their welfare. He said he would make a written report to Secretary Baker later, embodying several important suggestions looking to an immediate simplification of the mechanics of army supplies.

## WOULD WORK FEDERAL PRISONERS ON HIGHWAYS

Bill is Introduced in the House by Representative Webb.

Washington, September 2.—A bill to allow Federal prisoners to be worked on highways over which mails are carried, and providing for the establishment of factories for government supplies at the Atlanta and Leavenworth penitentiaries was introduced in the House today by Representative Webb, of North Carolina, and referred to the Roads committee.

## VILLA REPORTED MOVING TOWARD AMERICAN LINES

General Pershing, However, Says the Reports are Unconfirmed. Columbus, N. M., Sept. 2.—"I have received reports concerning Villa and his followers moving from several points in the direction of our lines, but have been unable to verify them," said Brigadier General Pershing, who is here inspecting base camp. He declined to discuss the proposed withdrawal of his forces.

## ROBERT FAY ARRESTED

Man Who Resembles Former German Army Officer Held at Corinth, Miss. Corinth, Miss., Sept. 2.—Officials here tonight were awaiting replies to messages sent to New York and Atlanta relative to a man detained here who it is said, answers the description of Robert Fay, the self-styled German army officer, who recently escaped from the Federal prison in Atlanta. According to the report, the man has declined to make any statement.

## WILL SUCCEED MR. HAY

Judge Harrison Nominated in Seventh Virginia District. Richmond, Va., Sept. 2.—Judge Thos. W. Harrison, of Winchester, was nominated today at a Democratic primary for the position of United States Attorney in the House of Representatives. He is the nephew of Secretary of State Mr. H. H. Downing for the term.

## SORRY STRIKE HAS BEEN CALLED OFF

(Continued From Page One.) pected to be taken within a few hours by the New York Central, Delaware, Lackawanna & Western, Lehigh Valley and other lines with general offices in this city, which was announced tonight by railroad officials.

## RECORD SALES OF TOBACCO DURING MONTH OF AUGUST.

More Than Aggregate Amount for August in Three Preceding Years.

Winston-Salem, N. C., Sept. 2.—Figures compiled here today show that more tobacco was sold on the local market in August this year than the aggregate amount sold in the August of the three preceding years. The amount sold this month was 308,545 pounds, which brought \$42,785.57. This was an average of \$13.76 per hundred pounds.

## CAPT. M'ILLAN KILLED.

Was Giving Exhibition Flight in Aeroplanes at St. Francis, Kas. Lincoln, Neb., Sept. 2.—Capt. Ralph McMillan, head of the aviation corps of the Nebraska National Guard, was killed today at St. Francis, Kas., while giving an exhibition flight, according to a message received here. Captain McMillan qualified as an army aviator at the government school at Newport News, Va., and came to Nebraska, where he organized the National corps.

## MUCH DAMAGE BY WEEVIL.

Boll Weevil Prevalent in Thirty-Six Counties in Georgia. Atlanta, Ga., Sept. 2.—The boll weevil is prevalent in 36 Georgia counties and in 18 counties in the southwestern part of the state. The weevil and the weeds of the summer have caused damage to cotton ranging from 40 to 80 per cent of the total crop, according to a statement made here today by E. Lee Worsham, state entomologist.

## HUGHES AT ST. LOUIS

Makes Repeated Reference to Mr. Wilson's Acceptance Speech. St. Louis, Mo., Sept. 2.—Charles E. Hughes faced an audience here tonight that cheered him 21 minutes and in his talk referred repeatedly to points made by President Wilson in his acceptance speech. "I protest," Mr. Hughes said, "against the extravagant claim that the anti-trust act was clarified by definition by our opponents. They found themselves up in a vague phrase and presented that as the solution."

## BOBOLINKS NEST IN CITY

Omaha Bird Lovers Greet Handsome Feathered Songsters. (From the Omaha World-Herald.) The Audubon Society of Omaha has but one or two records of bobolinks being seen near or in the city. The bobolinks are splendid black and white fellows of the open fields, with a touch of yellow in their collar and a most beautiful song delivered very often while on the wing, and ending with a mellow whistle. You of the western and central part of Nebraska know these delightful creatures very well—but in Omaha they are as scarce as cowbirds.

This season, and for the first time as far as bird history reports, bobolinks are actually nesting and rearing their bobolinklets along the very boundaries of the metropolis. The handsome fellows and their mates have made their homes along Centre street less than a mile west of Concordia Park. This information is deemed important enough to have been transmitted to the Eastern authorities at New York and Washington. Because he eats rice in the South and other grains in the North, Master Bobolink is not very popular, with some farmers, who fail to realize that his songster also works havoc among the insects infesting the fields.

## HE HAS A SUBMARINE, BUT WHAT SHALL HE DO WITH IT?

Dr. Gibbons, Who Bought Holland's First Undersea Boat, Regs Public (New York World.) Dr. Peter J. Gibbons of No. 249 Madison avenue, who, with his son, Austin Flint Gibbons, a lawyer, has bought the first submarine built from plans of James Holland for the United States, is open to suggestions as to what to do with it. "My son and myself," Dr. Gibbons said, "bought the Holland from the government, in order to preserve it for posterity. It will be given to the city, historical society or museum that can show the best right to it and will guarantee to preserve it. We bought it because we didn't want to see it lost as the Wrights' first aeroplane has been lost, as Fulton's steamboat is lost and as the submarine built by Gibbons in Philadelphia, thirty-one years before Fulton built his, is lost.

"This submarine is sixty-one feet long, eleven feet in diameter and weighs sixty-nine tons with its machinery. The latest German submarines have not a successful principle that is not in this first boat. We are open to suggestions from the public as to what to do with it."

## U. S. A. AEROPLANES

Experience on Mexican Border Has Been Turned to Good Account.

Favorable reports are coming to the War Department concerning the performance of the twelve Curtiss R-2 160-horsepower aeroplanes now in the hands of the first aero squadron at Columbus, N. M. The trouble that first was had with the propellers of these high-powered machines, on account of the breakage of the wooden material of the propellers after drying out in the dry atmosphere of New Mexico and Mexico, has been obviated to a large extent. In the meantime, work is progressing in the development of a metal propeller that will not be susceptible of climate influences. One of the six Curtiss twin-propeller aeroplanes, with two 90-horsepower motors, recently ordered, has been received at Columbus and been given preliminary trials. It is expected that the remaining five will be shipped shortly. Preliminary work already is being done at San Antonio, Texas, on the organization of a second aero squadron for service in this country, to be known as the third squadron.

## SEVERAL PERSONS ARE REPORTED HURT IN WRECK

Nine Coaches on C. & I. Railroad Go Over Embankment. Grand Rapids, Mich., Sept. 2.—Twenty-five persons were reported injured, several seriously, when a broken rail on the Grand Rapids & Indiana railroad, St. Wilkins Switch, near Manacotta, Mich., caused nine coaches of the Chicago and Cincinnati flyer to go over an embankment late tonight.

## Real Estate Transfers.

The following deeds were filed for record yesterday: Ella Gregg, Edward Morrissey, et al. to Stanley Morrissey and wife, for love and affection for father and mother and \$1, lot on the east side of Dickinson street, 155 feet north of Moore, 33 by 145 feet in size; L. W. Moore and wife to William E. Pearson and wife, 166 feet south of Castle street, 59 feet east of Twelfth, 32 by 55 feet in size.

## BE BETTER THAN SPANKING.

Spanking does not cure children of bad wetting. There is a constitutional cause for this trouble. Mrs. M. Summers, Box W, Notre Dame, Ind., will send free to any mother her successful home treatment, with full instructions. Send no money, but write her today if your children trouble you in this way. Don't blame the child, the chances are it can't help it. This treatment also cures adults and aged people troubled with urine difficulties by day or night.

## AUSTRIANS RETIRE ACROSS THE CERNIA

(Continued From Page One.) from the Entente warships seized the vessels.

Greek Revolt Spreads. Although reports are that the political situation in Greece is growing more serious, no announcement of conditions has come either from the Greek government or the Entente capitals. The revolt reported in Macedonia is now said to have spread into Thessaly and Epirus, or over the whole of northern Greece.

Dispatches from Athens say that Premier Zaimis had a lengthy audience with King Constantine Thursday and afterward announced that Greece maintained her policy of friendly neutrality toward the Entente while awaiting events. The Greek premier, another dispatch says, told a committee appointed at a pro-Entente mass meeting in Athens that the questions over which they were concerned would be cleared up probably before Saturday morning.

## Russian Offensive Progresses

The new Russian offensive in Galicia and Bukovina continues successfully. Against strong Austrian resistance Petrograd says the Russians have taken positions forty miles east of Lemberg. Near the Hungarian frontier several heights have been captured. Attacks by the Russians against the Austro-German lines in Volhynia, Galicia and the Carpathians were repulsed, Brelin says. Some ground was gained north of Thorow, Galicia, and nearly 1,500 prisoners have been taken by the armies of Prince Leopold and Archduke Charles.

## Announcements of operations on other fronts in Europe show little marked activity.

## DECLARES BULGARIA WILL BE LOYAL TO HER ALLIES

Berlin, Sept. 2. (by wireless).—A. Tochev, the Bulgarian minister to Austria-Hungary, interviewed by the Neue Freie Presse, of Vienna, said: "Newspapers in hostile countries publish insinuating reports that an impression is gained of vacillation on the purpose of Bulgaria. All these reports incite the greatest indignation and honest disgust in Bulgaria. "I want to emphasize as strongly as possible that Bulgaria will stand on the side of the (Teuton) allies until the end of the war and beyond that time. Bulgaria entertains no fears whatever. She is conscious of what she is fighting for. Nothing can make Bulgaria's loyalty waver. Bulgaria has the fullest confidence in her allies who have stood the test and her allies fully confide in Bulgaria."

## "THIRD MEATLESS DAY" IS INTRODUCED IN AUSTRIA.

Berlin, Sept. 2. (by wireless).—According to a dispatch from Vienna to the Overseas News Agency an order has been published in the Austrian capital introducing the "third meatless day." Mutton, however, may be eaten on this day.

# The Picturesque Forest Ranger and His Work

**Forest Ranger Using his Instruments to Locate a Fire**

**A Brief Sketch of the Strenuous Life Led By the Men Who Guard Our Great National Forests.**

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It is only within the last 10 or 15 years that the conservation of our national forests has taken hold of the people of the United States and proper and adequate measures adopted to preserve the woodlands from the hand of the ravager and the fortune hunter. The duty of enforcing the law against the lawless and the reckless is imposed upon the Forest Ranger, an officer stationed upon the premises and charged with the responsibility of seeing that the rules and regulations of the Government are carried out.

**Jack Of All Trades.**

When one considers that the gross area of our national forests is nearly 190,000,000 acres some idea of the vast tract of land which must be covered by the forest rangers can be obtained. Since 1905 the whole national forest force has been in the Forest Service under the direction and control of the Forester, who has a number of assistants such as forest supervisors, forest examiners, forest assistants, logging engineers, lumbermen, scalers, grading examiners and forest rangers. The latter, however, must be a Jack-of-all-trades in his line of work, as he acts as timberman, fire fighter, cattle boss, sales agent, U. S. Marshal, gardener, sheep protector, surveyor, forester, game warden, road warden, arrester of poachers, thieves and thugs, trail builder, tree doctor, nursery man, telephone line builder, field man on homestead jobs inside the forest limits and weather man in some sections.

**They Travel Long Distances on Snowshoes and Skis**

It will be seen that he is a very busy man. His work is physically exacting, especially when it comes to fighting the great forest fires which frequently occur in our national forests.

**Fire Fighting.**

Only those who have seen these men engaged in battling with one of these conflagrations can fully appreciate their heroism and their resourcefulness at a time when one must act quickly. An example of this was shown a few years ago in the case of Ranger Edward C. Pulaski, of the Coeur d'Alene National Forest in Idaho. Pulaski had charge of 40 Italians and Poles who were trying to quell a large fire which had broken out in the forest. They had been at work for several hours when the flames grew so threatening that it became a question of whether the Ranger could save his men. The fire was traveling faster than his crew could make their way through the dense forest, and the only hope was to secure shelter in some place into which the fire could not come. So, the plucky Ranger guided his party at a run through the blinding smoke to an old mine he knew of in the neighborhood. When he reached the opening he sent the men in ahead of him, hung a wet blanket over the opening and stood guard at the door. The fierce heat, the stifling air and their wild fear made several of the foreigners temporarily insane and a number tried to break out. Pulaski held them back with a drawn revolver. Only one man succeeded in getting out and he was burned to death. The Ranger himself more ex-

posed than any of his men was terribly burned during his five hours stand at his post. After the fire had passed he brought his party to safety without losing a single man except the one who got out of the tunnel. His own injuries were so severe that he was compelled to spend two months in a hospital. This is but one of the many heroic acts of the Forest Rangers in fighting fires.

In some national forests lookout stations have been built and from these the rangers are able to watch for fires; in other forests he must climb trees or high mountains in order to observe. This makes the ability to climb mountains an asset in the forest ranger's qualifications. A friendship with people in his district will aid him materially as they will frequently assist him in the lookout. His telephones which he builds through the forest must be carefully watched and kept in repair as they serve him well in gathering help when a forest fire is raging. His fire fighting tools, such as spades, axes and rakes must be kept in good condition and always ready for service.

In California the ranger uses what is known as a "speeder" for patrolling railroad tracks to watch for fires caused by sparks from locomotives, as some of the most disastrous forest fires have been caused by these sparks. Not infrequently careless campers who fail to put out their camp fires are responsible for the burning of much valuable timber land. Each year men of the Forest Service extinguish not less than 3,000 fires, nearly all of them being put out before they get any headway. Eternal vigilance is the price of getting at the fire before it spreads. In a particular after the fire has spent its fury the replanting must be done for the forest must be kept up and this work, too, falls to the lot of the Forest Ranger. The tree, like man, has seven ages and the ranger must know how to treat the tree during these ages—seedling, sapling, large sapling, pole, large pole, standard and set. The infant mortality among trees must be studied just as among human beings; also where each kind will thrive, for certain kinds will thrive only in certain places, so the ranger must know his trees just as the physician understands the human body.

**Slivics.**

This part of forestry is known as "slivics" and treats of the knowledge of the relation of trees to light, heat and moisture, to the soil and to each other. The Forest Ranger makes a special study of this branch. The value of wood in our national life is well known for without it civilization would be without many of its necessities. Our whole land transportation is practically dependent upon the forest which supplies more than one hundred and twenty million new staves and twenty million new ties every year in the United States alone, and this is only one of the utilities which depend upon the trees for its supply house. The Ranger must be an expert in woodcraft as well, for he may be called upon to travel the forest safely and surely either by day or night.

**Must Be Resourceful.**

He must know how to handle a boat and be resourceful when it comes to getting across mountain streams or in measuring the flow of streams, and he must frequently construct rafts for this purpose.

Recently one of the Rangers constructed a wire cable across a deep, cold stream, and from a box suspended from the cable took the flow of the stream without getting wet. Others prefer to wade in. Sometimes where the stream is swift the Ranger often sets a ducking in the icy waters even though his raft may be well made.

Watching the timber thief is another of the duties of the Ranger. The Government gives away a vast amount of timber annually to men and women who need it for their own use, but this timber must be cut from trees which have been marked by the Ranger. There is also a large amount of timber sold and these sales are arranged by the Ranger, whose duty it is to see that the future forest is not injured by these sales.

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under the direction of the Forest Ranger who goes out with his crew and pack animals to live in the wilds of the forest while the work is in progress. Many times after a long day's work he makes a solitary camp far from human habitation. Sunday is a day of rest unless there is a forest fire, and he returns, if possible, to his comfortable cabin set up under the great trees. Frequently he has a wife and children, or at least some female member of the family who is willing to go into the wilds to keep him company, and there amid Nature the Sundays are spent in peace and quiet, far from the turmoil of city life.

The killing of predatory animals is done by the Ranger although the Government frequently permits experienced trappers to carry on this work.

giving them the hides in payment for the work. Watching the game and fish "hog"—the man who takes more than the law allows, is not an altogether pleasant task, but the Ranger does his duty along this line and many people pay fines for breaking this rule. The Forest Service keeps the streams supplied with fry (young fish), and they do not propose to allow one man to clean up the streams of the fish.

A number of schools in forestry have been established in various parts of the country and hundreds of young men are considering it as a life vocation, but with the Forest Ranger experience in the forests is the first requirement, and for this reason the majority of Rangers have been Western men selected from the States in which the forest reserves are situated.

Forest Ranger Using his Instruments to Locate a Fire

Steel Lookout Tower, Ozark National Forest, Arkansas

They Travel Long Distances on Snowshoes and Skis

His Solitary Camp

Acting for the Bureau

An Ingenious Way of Taking the Flow of a Stream



## THEATRICAL

The complication of suitors after the hand of Florence Brent in the Morocco—Paramount photoplay, "An International Marriage," is easily understood when the beauty of the millionaire's daughter as portrayed by Rita Jolivet, is considered.

Miss Jolivet's vivacious, ingenious rendering of the young American girl, the idol of her millionaire father's heart and the goal for which these strong men of affairs contest—is of such stellar quality as to almost eclipse the strong supporting cast. But outstanding in his finished and correct portrayal is the work of Courtenay Fette, as the foreign nobleman of Royal blood.

It rather smarts American pride to be outwitted by Europeans. An American man of money and straightforward business methods is almost, but not quite, the dupe in the marriage of his beautiful daughter to a foreigner of great title. But the tables are turned and American pride has a quiet triumph.

Such a satisfying state of affairs happens in "An International Marriage," the Morocco-Paramount photoplay coming to the Grand.

Rita Jolivet's dramatic rendition of the beautiful daughter is an overabundance of winsome charm and compelling attraction.

"Pavlova, the incomparable," is the world-wide name given to Anna Pavlova, the greatest dancing-dramatic

Chaplin has introduced numerous new and laugh-making stunts which are certain to rank as the cleverest the comedian has ever done in his long career on the screen. For the first time, in this feature Chaplin, who essays the role of an itinerant musician, brings into play his famous violin about which so much has been written.

### Tomorrow at Royal.

Tomorrow's great Triangle programme at the Royal should be one of the most enjoyable as well as one of the most sensational, yet presented. "The Waifs" is the title of the great act feature, and it stars those two well known screen stars Jones Grey and William Desmond in the two leading roles with all star support.

"The Waifs" has a theme that will be popular to the end of the world, inasmuch as our days mean constant struggle with baser impulses and with weaknesses of human nature for those of us whose blood runs red. And there is nothing more fascinating for an audience than the varying drama of two poor unfortunate who rise through mutual helpfulness when either might falter and fall alone. "The Waifs" is based on the vital question, "Can a bad woman make a weak man a decent and hard-working citizen?" The answer is a loud "Yes" and as you watch the picture you will realize that when a woman loves a man no sacrifice is too great.

"The Waifs" is especially strong in types and characterizations with moment of intense psychology. "Fatty Arbuttle," the imitable Roscoe, is starred in a great Keystone two-reeler, "His Wife's Mistake" with a roar in every line.

### Tomorrow at the Bijou.

Tomorrow the Bijou presents a great all-star line-up of big things that are bound to draw capacity crowds to that popular theatre.

There comes a treat that you have long been watching for—that great series of two reel comedy productions, one to be released each week, under the general title of "Timothy Dobbs; That's Me," and starring in the leading role that imitable comedian, Carter de Haven. This series of comedies is so clean, so wholesome and different; so far ahead of the cheap, the vulgar and the suggestive as to be a genuine revelation. Great comedy acting; screamingly funny, intensely human situations; lavish productions and brilliant supporting cast, give to the entire series a distinction never before achieved as well as the highest class feature the Royal has ever presented.

You want to see the first great one in the series entitled "The Body Clerk" on tomorrow's bill at the Bijou. We guarantee you'll say it's great. If you don't, and if you don't follow the entire series just from seeing the first one, get your money back Monday at the box office—everybody.

Pathe News is also on and contains many great scenes, including further views of the labor leaders conferring with President Wilson and leaders of the striking brotherhood men.

A great Victor comedy, "He Wrote a Book," is also a rip-roarer on Monday's bill.

### Victoria to Open.

The Victoria Theatre opens the fall and winter season next Monday week, presenting the high class vaudeville and musical comedy attractions booked through the Gus Sun Booking Exchange.

For the opening attraction, the management has been extremely fortunate in obtaining the show at which Guy Johnson, a vaudeville artist, well known in Wilmington, is at the head, presenting Elsie Johnson and her Musical Vaudeville Company in high class musical comedy and vaudeville, carrying more effects and social acts than any show touring the South. The show played Winston-Salem week before last, and the following is a short extract from a half column criticism written by the Winston-Salem Journal upon their first appearance.

"Elsie Johnson and her Musical Vaudeville Company opened the season at the Paramount Theatre yesterday, and it is known, that if all shows this season measure up to the Johnson standard, Manager Savin is assured of capacity business through the season. For this is a regular vaudeville attraction. True there is a plot, and a good one. But take out the plot and devote the entire 30 minutes to pure vaudeville and the effect and satisfaction would remain the same. The numbers are all so good, so new and so original that Elsie Johnson could organize a vaudeville company strictly with the same material and acts and get away with it as 'Keith' productions. Really, George West and Harry Meyers, who do several turns together, are from the Keith circuit, and their work alone is worth the price of admission. But it is hardly fair to the rest to pick out any particular number that's better than the rest."

"The Dumb Girl of Portici" will play to the largest crowds that have ever been in the Royal within the space of two days—this goes without saying.

Chaplin Mutual Coming. "The Vagabond," the third great Chaplin Mutual comedy, is announced for presentation at the Grand Theatre next Saturday and doubtless will be seen by the usual capacity crowds that come when the word Chaplin is hung out in front of a theatre.

In the case of "The Vagabond" these crowds will indeed be repaid well for their trouble and time, for it is said confidently that this marks the greatest achievement yet of the million dollar comedian under the famous contract with Mutual. In the filming of the various scenes in connection with the progress of the story of "The Vagabond," particularly those which take place in the midst of a camp of gypsies,

## SEE MOVIES BEING MADE JUDGE WINSTON PRESIDES

Eight Tar Heel Girls, Three From Wilmington, Visit Vitaphone in New York.

New York, Sept. 2.—Eight beaming young ladies with soft voices "from North Carolina invaded New York Thursday, sightseeing, and the first visit they made—they had been looking forward to it—was out the Brighton line to see Mr. E. H. Sothern at the Vitaphone studio. Each and every one was a motion picture fan, and each and every one was a popularity contest winner. Their trip to New York was in the nature of a reward for being motion picture fans and popular. They were elected to have their expenses paid to New York and see motion pictures made.

The party led by Mrs. Wray, who is herself a popularity winner, included these girls from Charlotte, N. C., Misses Virginia Davidson, Mary Vandenberg, Lottie Vandenberg, Violet Wylie, Odessa Hunter, and from Wilmington the Misses Augusta Boykin, Sadie Green and Helen Bright. The Broadway theater in Charlotte, R. D. Craver, manager, was responsible for the popularity contest. The party came by way of Toronto and Niagara Falls, and return by way of Philadelphia and Washington. Here a trip to Corey Island and other points of interest was made, and most of the visitors had their first steamboat ride on salt water.

Starting from their headquarters at the Breslin they rode out on the elevated until the stacks and the glass roofs of the studio came into view, whereupon they gleefully reminded the trainmen to stop and trooped downstairs to the great concrete portal of Vitaphone. The next moment they were in a land of enchantment.

Each bewitched, booted and laced in leather slatted doublet and russet hose was hailed by them as Mr. Sothern in their eagerness, since they had been apprised that he was working in "An Enemy to the King." They peered among the old herded inns built in the yard, and the tavern "sets" indoors looking for him among the sword characters. But he was in his dressing room, an dthey whiled away their wait with chatting with Wm. Shea, an old favorite of the screen, and with watching Hughie Mack and Patsy DeForest doing a riotous comedy climax under the direction of Laurence Semon in Studio No. 3.

They got to Mr. Sothern by degrees, for next they found Edith Storey, his leading lady in the Stephens drama, chasing her dog "Oley" across the yard incog., whereupon they enthusiastically made her hold a levee. They had all recognized her from her screen appearances, and knew her for a favorite.

Mr. Sothern emerged finally from his dressing room. Some of the girls gasped, for they knew him not in his fine pointed beard and chestnut locks. Mr. Sothern quickly put them in their ease, however, and was even more courtly than the courtly period his make-up represented. He shook hands with them all round and betwixt a delighted interest when Mrs. John Skinner Wray, chaperoning the party, mentioned that she hailed originally from Virginia.

"Ah," said Mr. Sothern, "It takes the Old Dominion to guide the Old North State."

Then he quoted, to the charm of all: "Here's to the land of the long leaf pine."

Where the weak grow strong, and the strong grow great—Here's to down home, the Old North State!"

"Oh, do you have to play under this warm glass ceiling with that heavy velvet cloak on?" asked one lass. "Alas, yes," replied Mr. Sothern tragically, "and I haven't mopped my face either, for fear of removing some of the grease paint." This was good for a peal of appreciative laughter.

After some more chat, Mr. Sothern had to excuse himself. The plaintive voice of the director was calling. A difficult sword battle was impending within the scenes.

### AN AEROPLANE SIGHTED!

Aircraft Seen Passing Southward Over Cumberland County.

Fayetteville, N. C. Sept. 2.—An aeroplane passed over the plantation of J. H. McIlwain in Seventy-First township yesterday afternoon about 5 o'clock, says The Observer today. Mr. McIlwain's family saw it and report that there was one person in it. It was going south.

## BIJOU

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ALL ON TOMORROW'S BILL.

At Robeson Court in Lumberton This Week—Charlie's Issued—State Capital News.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., Sept. 2.—An order by Governor Craig today authorizes Judge Francis D. Winston to hold a one-week term of Robeson county court beginning next Monday in the stead of Judge Shaw.

Governor Craig has accepted the usual invitations to deliver the addresses for the opening of the State fairs for both the white and the colored people.

The Caswell-Nash chapter Daughters of the American Revolution, here has launched preparations for the elaborate entertainment of the annual convention of the North Carolina Congress, November 1-2. Mrs. B. F. Williamson is the regent of the local chapter. There are 28 chapters composing the North Carolina Congress.

Internal revenue collections for this, the Eastern district, during August aggregated \$716,720, the largest amount for any month in the history of the office. The nearest approach to this was last June, when the amount was \$678,546.

A charter is issued for the Standard Underwear Mills (Inc.), of High Point, for a general underwear knitting business, capital \$100,000 authorized and

\$30,000 subscribed by H. C. Kearns, Jr., O. E. Kearns and J. A. Austin. There is an amendment for the charter of the Mooreville Cotton Mills by which the authorized capital is increased from \$400,000 to \$1,000,000. J. E. Sherrill is president.

### RECEIVER EVOKES SMILES

Depositors of Chicago Concern Get Part of Money Back. (Chicago Herald.)

W. C. Niblock, receiver of the LaSalle Street Trust and Savings bank, which failed June 12, 1914, won a reputation as a smile producer the other day.

About 250 persons who came to his office left it wearing smiles that looked as if they might last indefinitely.

For Mr. Niblock is paying a 25 per cent installment on the deposits of about 8,000 persons whose money was tied up by the failure of the LaSalle Trust.

About \$160,000 was paid to depositors before the office closed for the day. Little Zoe Hoppman, whose mother Mrs. Gertrude Hoppman, had deposited money for her when she was born, was brought to the office by her mother.

She cried a loud protest as the crowd ahead of her caused delay, but when Mr. Niblock placed a check for \$5.15 in her tiny hands she started chewing the end of it in smiling content.

Zoe was the youngest depositor paid off. The oldest was John C. Cosgrove, who is nearing the seventieth milestone.

Mrs. Florence Harris Jacobi, of 4332 Prairie avenue, collected an installment on \$500 she had deposited before she became Mrs. Jacobi.

## Grand MONDAY

Oliver Morosco Presents on the Paramount Programme

THE PETITE EMOTIONAL ACTRESS

## RITA JOLIVET

With Page Peters, Marc Robbins, Elliott Dexter and Herbert Standing

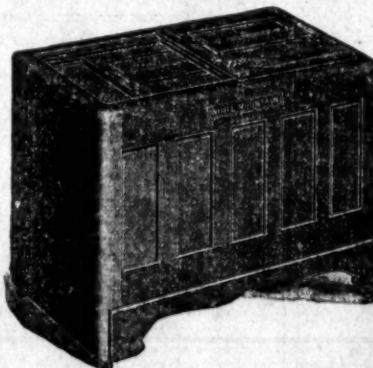
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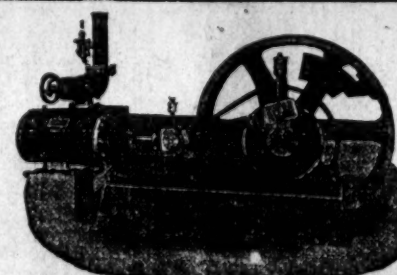
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The Famous "Vampire Woman" in "The Eternal Sappho," Her Latest William Fox Feature at the Royal Tuesday.



# PRESIDENT WILSON'S SPEECH OF ACCEPTANCE DELIVERED YESTERDAY

(Continued From Page Nine.)

oppressed men, overburdened women, and pitiful children in virtual bondage in their own homes of fertile lands and inexhaustible treasure! Some of the leaders of the revolution may often have been mistaken and violent and selfish, but the revolution itself was inevitable and is right. The unspeakable Huerta betrayed the very comrades he served, traitorously overthrew the government of which he was a trusted part, impudently spoke for the very forces that had driven his people to the rebellion with which he had pretended to sympathize. The men who overcame him and drove him out represent at least the fierce passion of reconstruction which lies at the very heart of liberty; and so long as they represent, however imperfectly, such a struggle for deliverance, I am ready to serve their ends when I can. So long as the power of recognition rests with me the government of the United States will refuse to extend the hand of welcome to any one who obtains a power in a sister republic by treachery and violence. No permanency can be given the affairs of any republic by a title based upon intrigue and assassination. I declared that to be the policy of this administration within three weeks after I assumed the presidency. I here again vow it. I am more interested in the fortunes of oppressed men and pitiful women and children than in any property rights whatever. Mistakes I have no doubt made in this perplexing business, but not in purpose or object.

More is involved than the immediate destinies of Mexico and the relations of the United States with a distressed and distracted people. All America looks on. The test is now being made of us whether we be sincere levers of popular liberty or not and are indeed to be trusted to respect national sovereignty among our weaker neighbors. We have undertaken these many years to play big brother to the republics of this hemisphere. This is the day of our test, whether we mean, or have ever meant, to play that part for our own benefit wholly or also for theirs. Upon the outcome of that test (its outcome in their minds, not in ours) depends every relationship of the United States with Latin America, whether in politics or in commerce and enterprise. These are great issues and lie at the heart of the gravest tasks of the future, tasks both economic and political and which will be wrought with many of the most vital of the new issues of the politics of the world. The republic of America have in the last three years been drawing together in a new spirit of accommodation, mutual understanding, and cordial co-operation. Much of the politics of the world in the years to come will depend upon their relationships with one another. It is a barren and provincial standpoint that loses sight of such things!

The future, the immediate future, will bring us squarely face to face with many great and exacting problems which will reach us through and through whether we be able and ready to play the part in the world that we mean to play. It will not bring us into their presence slowly, gently, with ceremonious introduction, but suddenly and at once, the moment the war in Europe is over. They will be new problems, most of them; many will be old problems in a new setting and with new elements which we have never dealt with or reckoned the force and meaning of before. They will require for their solution new thinking, fresh courage and resourcefulness, and in some matters radical reconciliations of policy. We must be ready to mobilize our resources alike of brains and of materials.

It is not a future to be afraid of. It is, rather, a future to stimulate and excite us to the full use of our powers that are in us. We may enter it with confidence when we are sure that we understand it, and we have provided ourselves already with the means of understanding it. Look first at what it will be necessary that the nations of the world should do to make the days to come tolerable and fit to live and work in; and then look at our part in what is to follow and our own duty of preparation. For we must be prepared both in resources and in policy.

There must be a just and settled peace, and we here in America must contribute the full force of our enthusiasm and of our authority as a nation to the organization of that peace upon world-wide foundations that cannot tearably be shaken. No nation should be forced to take as in any quarrel in which its own honor and integrity and the fortunes of its own people are not involved; but no nation can any longer remain neutral as against any wilful disturbance of the peace of the world. The effects of war can no longer be confined to the areas of battle. No nation stands wholly apart in interest when the life and interests of all nations are thrown into confusion and peril. If hopeful and generous enterprise is to be renewed, if the healing and helpful arts of life are indeed to be revived when peace comes again, a new atmosphere of justice and friendship must be generated by means the world has never tried before. The nations of the world must unite in joint guarantees that whatever is done to disturb the whole world's life must first be tested in the court of the whole world's opinion before it is attempted.

These are the new foundations the world must build for itself, and we must play our part in the reconstruction, generously and without too much thought of our separate interests. We must make ourselves ready to play it intelligently, vigorously and well.

One of the contributions we must make to the world's peace is this: We must see to it that the people in our insular possessions are treated in their own lands as we would treat them here, and make the rule of the United States mean the same thing everywhere—the same justice, the same consideration for the essential rights of men.

Besides contributing our ungrudging moral and practical support to the establishment of peace throughout the world we must actively and intelligently prepare ourselves to do our full service in the trade and industry which are to sustain and develop the life of the nation in the days to come.

We have already been provident in this great matter and supplied ourselves with the instrumentalities of prompt adjustment. We have created, in the Federal Trade Commission, a means of inquiry and of accommodation in the field of commerce which ought both to co-ordinate the enterprises of our traders and manufacturers and to remove the barriers of misunderstanding and of a too technical interpretation of the law. In the new Tariff Commission we have added another instrumentality of observation

and adjustment which promises to be immediately serviceable. The Trade Commission substitutes counsel and accommodation for the harsher processes of legal restraint, and the Tariff Commission ought to substitute facts for prejudices and theories. Our exporters have for some time had the advantage of working in the new light thrown upon foreign markets and opportunities of trade by the intelligent inquiries and activities of the Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce which the Democratic Congress so wisely created in 1913. The Tariff Commission completes the machinery by which we shall be enabled to open up our legislative policy to the facts as they develop.

We can no longer indulge our traditional provincialism. We are to play a leading part in the world drama whether we wish it or not. We shall lend, not borrow; act for ourselves, not imitate or follow; organize and initiate, not peep about merely to see where we may get in.

We have already formulated and agreed upon a policy of law which will explicitly remove the ban now supposed to rest upon co-operation amongst our exporters in seeking and securing their proper place in the markets of the world. The field will be free, the instrumentalities at hand. It will only remain for the masters of enterprise amongst us to act in energetic concert, and for the government of the United States to insist upon the maintenance throughout the world of these conditions of fairness and of even-handed justice in the commercial dealings of the nations with one another upon which, after all, in the last analysis, the peace and ordered life of the world must ultimately depend.

At home also we must see to it that the men who plan and develop and direct our business enterprises shall enjoy definite and settled conditions of law, a policy accommodated to the freest progress. We have set the just and necessary limits. We have put all kinds of unfair competition under the ban and penalty of the law. We have barred monopoly. The fatal and ugly things being excluded, we must now quicken action and facilitate enterprise by every just means within our choice. There will be peace in the business world, and, with peace, revived confidence and life.

We ought both to husband and to develop our natural resources, our mines, our forests, our water power. I wish we could have made more progress than we have made in this vital matter; and I call once more with the deepest earnestness and solicitude, upon the advocates of a careful and provident conservation, on the one hand, and the advocates of a free and inviting field for private capital, on the other, to get together in a spirit of genuine accommodation and agreement and set this great policy forward at once.

We must hasten and quicken the spirit and efficiency of labor throughout our whole industrial system, by everywhere and in all occupations doing justice to the laborer, not only by paying a living wage but also by making all the conditions that surround labor what the youth ought to be. And we must do more than justice. We must safeguard life and promote health and safety in every occupation in which they are threatened or imperilled. That is more than justice, and better, because it is humanity and economy.

We must co-ordinate the railway systems of the country for national use, and must facilitate and promote their development with a view to that co-ordination and to their better adaptation as a whole to the life and trade and defense of the nation. The life and industry of the country can be free and unimpeded only if these arteries are open, efficient, and complete.

Thus shall we stand ready to meet the future as circumstances and international policy effect their unfoldings, whether the changes come slowly or come fast and without preface.

I have not spoken explicitly, gentlemen, of the platform adopted at St. Louis; but it has been implicit in all that I have said. I have sought to interpret its spirit and meaning. The people of the United States do not need to be assured now that that platform is a definite pledge, a practical programme. We have proved to them that our promises are made to be kept.

We hold very definite ideals. We believe that the energy and initiative of our people have been too narrowly coached and superintended; that they should be set free, as we have set them free, to disperse themselves throughout the nation; that they should not be concentrated in the hands of a few powerful guides and guardians, as our opponents have again and again, in effect if not in purpose, sought to concentrate them. We believe, moreover, who that looks about him now with comprehending eyes can fail to believe, that the day of Little Americanism, with its narrow horizons, when methods of "protection" and industrial nursing were the chief study of our provincial statesmen, are past and gone and that a day of enterprise has at last dawned for the United States whose field is the wide world.

We hope to see the stimulus of that new day draw all America, the republic of both continents, on to a new life and energy and initiative in the great affairs of peace. We are Americans for Big America, and rejoice to look forward to the days in which America shall thrive to stir the world without irritating it or drawing it on to new antagonisms, when the nations with which we deal shall at last come to see upon what deep foundations of humanity and justice our passion for peace rests, and when all mankind shall look upon our great people with a new sentiment of admiration, friendly rivalry and real affection, as upon a people who, though keen to succeed, are always to be at once generous and just and to whom humanity is dearer than profit or selfish power.

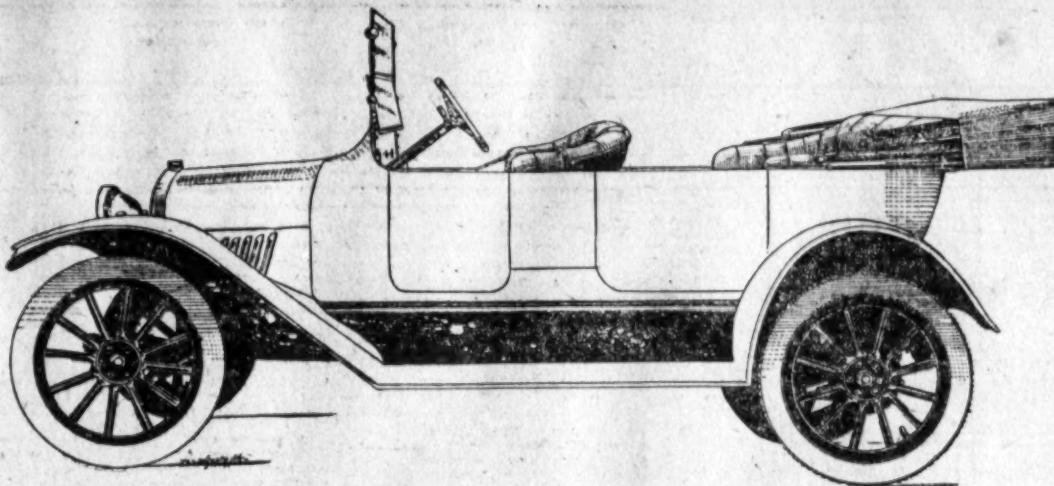
Upon this record and in the faith of this purpose we go to the country.

MRS. R. C. CRAVEN ILL.

Condition of Rocky Mount Pastors' Wife is Serious.

(Special Star Correspondence.)  
Rocky Mount, N. C., Sept. 2.—News of the extreme illness of Mrs. R. C. Craven, wife of Rev. R. C. Craven, the pastor of the First Methodist church in this city, was received with regret today. Her attending physician fears the necessity of an emergency operation which on account of her continued illness of the past several weeks might be attended with serious consequences. Mrs. Craven has been sick at her home on Sunset avenue for the past four weeks, but it was only recently that her condition was regarded as being serious.

Hear the Concert Tonight at the Harbor Island Auditorium. No charge for admission. (advertisement)



## CHEVROLET MAKES GOOD ITS PROMISE

When the Chevrolet Motor Company first offered its Model "FOUR-NINETY" Touring Car to automobile dealers and to the public at the New York show in January, 1915, with electric lights and starter, at the then sensational price of \$550, the management stated frankly that the name "FOUR-NINETY" really meant something and that whenever the company's manufacturing facilities and production justified it, the price on this car, electrically equipped, should be \$490.

Since the above date, the Chevrolet Company has completed the best motor plant in this country; has built and equipped an up-to-the-minute axle plant; has required a complete transmission plant, and has in operation seven large assembling plants. The Chevrolet Company has now reached a volume of production which enables it to make good its original promise.

We are pleased to advise that the 1917 contracts, which are now going out to Chevrolet dealers, present the Model "FOUR-NINETY" to the public at \$490, fully equipped, with a standard, two-unit electric lighting and starting system built into the car.

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### THE CONSECRATION OF THE HOME

Acts 10: 1-8; 17-24; 44-45.

(Consecration Meeting.)

Among the good places on earth the best place is home. God designed it and is the superintending architect. God's plans look toward permanence; and He desires and designs the largest possible earthly happiness for those in the home.

The family is the unit of the race, and the name is built to conserve the family, produce the individual boys and girls, and conserve them in body, mind and spirit.

The home is God's first and holiest school; its lessons are the best and most surely learned; and the principles taught therein are enduring. The home has been properly called "The Castle of Happiness and the Palace of Pleasure." If one is happy at home, one can be happy anywhere. A home can only be happy where the atmosphere is saturated with love. A cottage warmed with love is better than a palace full of ice. "There is beauty all around when there's love at home."

Conjugal love is purest and holiest when developed in the prayer life. Husbands and wives need to pray that their hearts may be kept free from ensnaring temptations, that their life influences may be unified, healthful and helpful upon the world and especially on their children.

A wrecked home is next to the saddest of all earthly wrecks; the wreck of the soul is saddest. A wrecked home can rarely be raised and restored. If sad, "raised," because it has been sunken; and "restored," because it has been sadly broken.

Divorce is the greatest antagonist to the home. The home is not designed to be broken by this process; divorce is not contemplated or included in the plan. The growing spirit of divorce is striking at the heart of the life of the home, and threatens to ruin the race.

The figures in the case when known cause every lover of the home to tremble with fear. There are too many thoughtless marriages, marriages in haste, marriages with only admiration and infatuation as the reason for them. Is it any wonder they decide to "quit"? They forget the solemn vows which they have pledged to each other and to God. They forget that the solemn vows they have made to God can not be withdrawn at their pleasure.

Home consecration. God established the home, and Christ consecrated it by living in an earthly home. Home is therefore a sacred place. The happiness of the home makes it a foretaste of Heaven. When Christ entered the home through His human birth He emphasized the sacredness of the home.

The home is the miniature state, where the parents are to govern in the name of God. The home is a little church and should have a family al-

tar, where all should regularly worship. This family altar is not a substitute for the regular private devotions of each member of the family; nor are the regular private devotions of each member of the family a substitute for the family altar.

With home consecration and the family altar, the home is a safe place to rear children; without these the home may become a dangerous place. —Christian Observer.

### S. W. PENNYPACKER DEAD.

Former Governor of Pennsylvania Dies of Uræmic Poisoning.

Philadelphia, Sept. 2.—Samuel W. Pennypacker, former governor of Pennsylvania, died today of uræmic poisoning at his home at Schwenksville, Pa. He was 73 years old. Governor Pennypacker for many years had been a foremost figure in Pennsylvania affairs. Before the notable contest in the Republican party in 1903 which resulted in his election as governor he had served for many years as a judge in Philadelphia.

Free Concert Tonight at Harbor Island Auditorium by the Don Richardson Orchestra. Night concert will be given at Auditorium instead of at Lumina. Afternoon concert at Lumina as usual. (advertisement)

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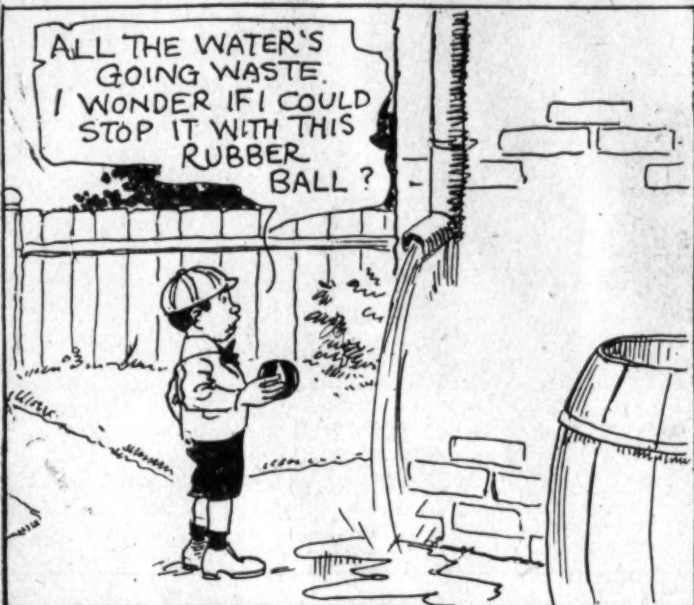
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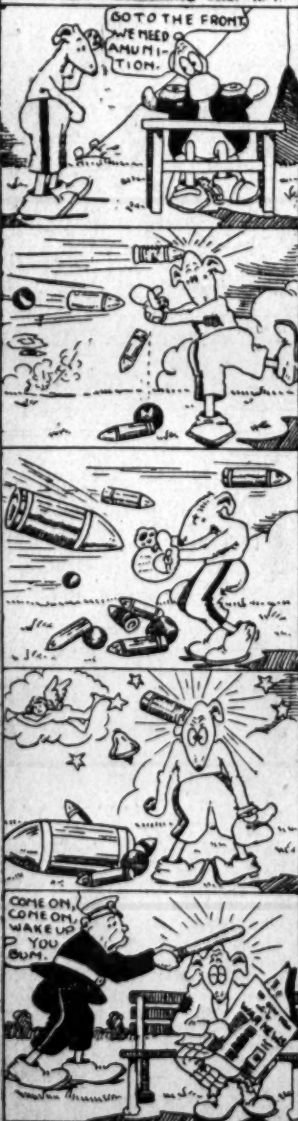
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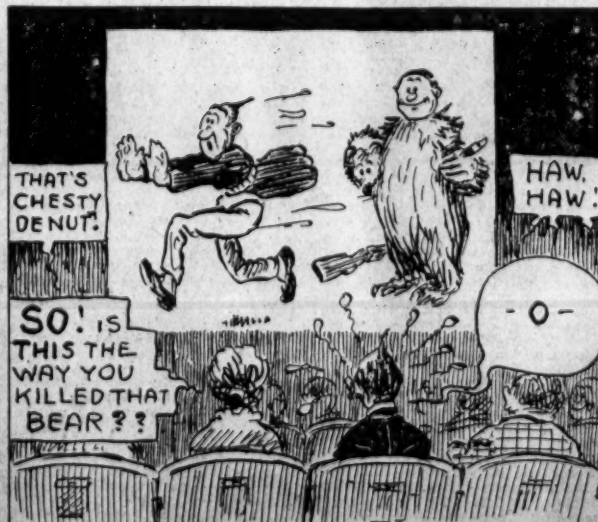
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## Chesty de Nut

HE DID NOT KNOW HE WAS POSING FOR THE MOVIES.

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## FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

## WHEAT MAKES BIG GAIN

Prices Turn Upward on Confidence That Settlement of Railway Strike Would be Effectual.

Chicago, September 2. — Confidence that a settlement of the railway strike would be effected led to a decided upturn today in the price of wheat. The close was strong, at the highest level of the session, a net advance of 2 1/2 to 3 1/2, with December at 1.47 1/2 to 1.48, and May at 1.49 1/2 to 1.49 3/4. Other leading staples, too, all showed gains. Corn, 1/4 to 1/2; oats, 1/4 to 1/2; and provisions, 15 to 20.

Closing:

Wheat—December, 1.47 1/2; May, 1.49 3/4. Corn—December, 1.15 1/2; May, 1.17 1/2. Oats—December, 1.15 1/2; May, 1.17 1/2. Pork—October, 14.45; January, 14.50. Lard—October, 14.45; January, 14.50. Ribs—October, 14.45; January, 14.50.

Cash grain:

Wheat—No. 2, red, 1.37 1/2; No. 2, hard, 1.45 1/2; No. 2, soft, 1.47 1/2; No. 2, hard, 1.45 1/2; No. 2, soft, 1.47 1/2. Corn—No. 2, yellow, 1.15 1/2; No. 2, white, 1.17 1/2. Oats—No. 2, white, 1.15 1/2; No. 2, red, 1.17 1/2.

## WEEK'S BANK STATEMENT.

New York, September 2. — The statement of the actual condition of clearing house banks and trust companies for the week shows that they held \$95,329,140 in excess of legal requirements. This is a decrease of \$29,561,220 from last week.

## SAVANNAH NAVAL STORES.

Savannah, September 2. — Turpentine, firm, 42 1/2; sales, 210; receipts, 27; shipments, 27; stocks, 121,449.

Rosin—Firm, 1.27; sales, 1,287; receipts, 941; shipments, 106; stocks, 77,982.

Quote: A. B. 5.75; C. D. 5.80; E. 5.85; F. 5.90; G. 5.95; H. 6.00; I. 6.05; J. 6.10; K. 6.15; L. 6.20; M. 6.25; N. 6.30; O. 6.35; P. 6.40; Q. 6.45; R. 6.50; S. 6.55; T. 6.60; U. 6.65; V. 6.70; W. 6.75; X. 6.80; Y. 6.85; Z. 6.90.

## LIVERPOOL MARKET CLOSED.

Liverpool, September 2. — The cotton exchange here is closed today.

## NEW YORK LIVE STOCK.

New York, September 2. — Beaves—No trading. Calves, receipts, 125; steady. Veals, 10.00 to 11.00; culls, 9.00 to 9.50; grassers, 7.50.

Sheep and Lambs—Easter. Ordinary to prime lambs, 10.50 to 12.50; culls, 7.50; common to good sheep, ewes, 5.00 to 7.50. Hogs—Weak. State hogs, 11.50.

## CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

Chicago, September 2. — Hogs—Weak at 15 to 20 lower. Buy. Awtors, 6.45 to 11.50; western steers, 6.50 to 9.00; stockers, 4.75 to 7.00; mixed, 9.50 to 11.00; heavy, 9.50 to 10.00; rough, 9.50 to 10.00; pigs, 6.75 to 9.00.

Cattle—Weak. Native beef cattle, 6.45 to 11.50; western steers, 6.50 to 9.00; stockers, 4.75 to 7.00; mixed, 9.50 to 11.00; heavy, 9.50 to 10.00; rough, 9.50 to 10.00; pigs, 6.75 to 9.00.

Sheep—Weak. Wethers, 6.15 to 7.50; ewes, 5.00 to 7.10; lambs, 6.25 to 10.50.

## DRY GOODS MARKET.

New York, September 2. — Cotton goods and yarns were firm today, with markets generally quiet. Jobbers did a good trade and exporters received many offers of new business.

## THE FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, September 2. — Mercantile paper, 3 1/2 to 3 3/4. Sterling sixty day bills, 4.71 1/2; demand, 4.75 1/2. Cables, 4.75 to 4.80. Bar silver, 67 1/2. Mexican dollars, 52 1/2. Government bonds, steady. Railroad bonds, steady.

## COTTON SEED OIL MARKET.

New York, September 2. — Cotton seed oil was firmer on active covering, prompted by strength in the hard market and nervousness regarding possible developments over the holiday. Closing prices were 10 to 30 points net higher. Prime crude, 8.55, nominal. Prime summer yellow spot, 9.45; September, 9.70; October, 10.00; November, 9.95; December, 9.95; January, 10.02; February, 10.05; March, 10.35; April, 10.45.

## DEVELOPS NEW TYPE OF MEN

"Fellows, Wound-up-Spring Alerts," Characterized Army Aviators (Lewis R. Freeman Atlantic Monthly).

Yet every man of them (the Royal Flying Corps) appeared true to what I have since come to recognize as a rapidly developing type—the "Flying Type."

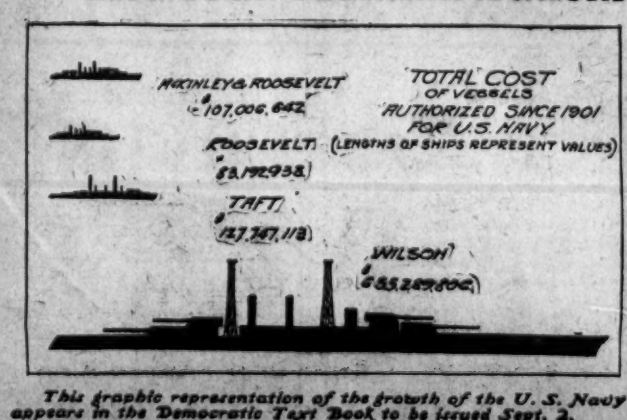
The army aviator of today is picked for his quickness of mind and body, and the first thing that strikes you about him is a sort of fellow, wound-up-spring alertness. Then you note his ratiocination, the cool reserve of a man whose lot it is to express himself in deeds rather than words.

And lastly there is the quiet seriousness, verging almost on sadness, of the man who must hold himself ready to look death between the eyes at any moment and yet keep his mind detached for other things.

New York, September 2. — Butter, barely steady.

Cheese—Quiet.

## Growth of U. S. Navy Under Last Four Administrations



This graphic representation of the growth of the U. S. Navy appears in the Democratic Year Book to be issued Sept. 2.

## STOCKS SCORE ADVANCES

Early Hesitation Gives Way to General Strength—There was Extensive Covering of Shorts.

New York, Sept. 2.—Today's market hesitated at the outset, first quotations indicating doubt on the part of the professional element as to the significance of overnight developments in the railway labor situation. This condition gave way later to general strength, the advance being aided by extensive short covering.

Trading in marines which supplied over 25 per cent of the brief session's turn-over, was the noteworthy feature, the preferred making a new record on its gross advance of 4 points to 109 with 1-1/2 for the common and 1 to 2 points for other shipping shares.

A new maximum was also made by American Zinc, preferred, which advanced 3-1/2 points to 74-3/4, while General Motors, preferred, sold at its best quotation in many months, rising from 125 to 128. Copper and other metals were 10 to 20 points higher, munitions and petroleum advanced about as much, and motors made up some of their recent losses with additional gains in the afternoon.

United States Steel came forward towards the last, being taken extensively up to 96-7/8, an extreme gain of 1-1/2 and placing it with the quarterly and extra dividends of the previous day within 1-1/2 point of its high record.

Reading and Canadian Pacific led the advancing movement in rails at gains of almost two points, with a point for each for St. Paul, Northern Pacific, New York Central, and some of the Eastern group. Total sales amounted to 174,000 shares.

Bonds were steady but dull, Anglo-French being largely dealt in at the prevailing quotation. Total sales, 100,000. United States coupon 4s rose 3-4 per cent on call during the week.

## NEW YORK STOCK LIST.

| STATIONS:    | Weather at 8 P. M. | Highest today. | Lowest last night. | Precipitation at 8 P. M. |
|--------------|--------------------|----------------|--------------------|--------------------------|
| Abilene      | cloudy             | 78             | 68                 | .50                      |
| Asheville    | cloudy             | 74             | 62                 | .02                      |
| Augusta      | cloudy             | 90             | 68                 | .04                      |
| Baltimore    | clear              | 82             | 62                 | .01                      |
| Birmingham   | cloudy             | 82             | 62                 | .02                      |
| Boston       | cloudy             | 80             | 72                 | .02                      |
| Charlotte    | pt. cldy           | 86             | 68                 | .00                      |
| Charlotte    | pt. cldy           | 78             | 68                 | .00                      |
| Chicago      | clear              | 88             | 66                 | .00                      |
| Galveston    | clear              | 88             | 62                 | .00                      |
| Indianapolis | clear              | 80             | 70                 | .00                      |
| Mobile       | pt. cldy           | 92             | 76                 | .00                      |
| Milwaukee    | pt. cldy           | 92             | 72                 | .44                      |
| N. Orleans   | pt. cldy           | 92             | 78                 | .01                      |
| New York     | clear              | 78             | 68                 | .01                      |
| Philadelphia | clear              | 70             | 62                 | .00                      |
| Pittsburgh   | clear              | 92             | 72                 | .00                      |
| Raleigh      | clear              | 84             | 64                 | .00                      |
| Savannah     | cloudy             | 88             | 68                 | .00                      |
| Shreveport   | clear              | 82             | 72                 | .00                      |
| St. Louis    | clear              | 82             | 64                 | .00                      |
| Washington   | clear              | 82             | 68                 | .01                      |

Lumberton, died at his home in Unadilla, Texas, last Sunday. Mr. Crump and the writer were friends from early childhood, and he was one of the best boys and young men with whom it has ever been a pleasure to associate. Forty years ago we were working side by side setting type on the Robesonian. Twenty-six years ago he went to Texas, where he has since been a resident. He was a well-known writer, the Robesonian force of that time, from editor down, have passed away, though there are still a few of the old printing press.

The tobacco buyers, most of them at least, expected to leave here by the end of this week, but one of them told your correspondent this morning that business was holding up so well that they did not know when they would leave. Tobacco continues to come in surprising quantities, and as long as it continues to come in justifiable quantities the buyers will be on the job paying the price of the market.

Real Estate Changes.

The indications are that there will be some real estate changes in Lumberton soon. Mr. H. H. Anderson has decided to retire from the grocery business and is going to sell his business as well as his home and another house and lot.

Miss Blanche Redmond left Wednesday for Norfolk where she will go into training for a trial nurse. Her brother, Mr. J. H. Redmond, left yesterday for New York, where he has accepted a position.

Alfred Merrick, a highly respected colored Methodist preacher, died suddenly at his home Thursday night at 11 o'clock. Alfred was one of the old landmarks in Lumberton.

Just as was predicted, older caused the end of trouble last Saturday afternoon and night. It is hard to understand why a man will play with a mad dog until the dog has bitten him.

We heard a merchant bragging this week about paying 35 cents for eggs and selling them for 40 cents. He said that he would try to sell President Wilson was the cause of the high cost of living?

Corporal R. F. Tracey and Private J. M. L. of the U. S. Army, arrived from Wilmington yesterday and have opened a recruiting office here, the recruiting office in Wilmington having been closed. Rooms have been secured on the second floor of the Commercial Cotton Mills building, where all information will be gladly given those who desire to join the army. Messrs. Tracey and Jerome are exceedingly clever gentlemen and are great for them a pleasant stay in Lumberton.

The interior of the court house has been given a new coat of paint which adds very much to its appearance. Everything looks new and fresh.

Mr. B. L. Crump, a native of this county, for several years residing in

## THE WEATHER.

United States Department of Agriculture—Weather Bureau.

September 2.

Meteorological data for the day ending at 8 P. M. yesterday:

Temperature at 8 A. M., 71 degrees; at 2 P. M., 73 degrees; maximum, 88 degrees; minimum, 67 degrees; mean, 72 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00 inch; rainfall for the month, to date, .00 inches. Stage of water in Cape Fear River at Fayetteville, at 8 A. M. yesterday, 8.4 feet.

For North Carolina: Probably fair Sunday and Monday.

HURRICANE PASSING AWAY.

Washington, D. C., September 2.—The tropical disturbance has apparently crossed the Yucatan peninsula to the Bay of Campeche, whence it will advance westward into Mexico, and there be dissipated.

BOWIE.

The Port Calendar, Sept. 2, 1916.

Sun rises . . . . . 5:47 A. M.

Sun sets . . . . . 6:36 P. M.

Day's length . . . . . 12 hr. 49 min.

THE TIDES.

High water. Low water.

A. M. P. M. A. M. P. M.

Wilmington . . . . . 12:57 3:00 7:53 11:37

Southport . . . . . 11:25 11:32 6:18 6:03

Masonboro Inl. . . . . 11:14 11:21 4:58 4:43

WEATHER BUREAU REPORTS.

September 2, 1916.

| STATIONS:    | Weather at 8 P. M. | Highest today. | Lowest last night. | Precipitation at 8 P. M. |
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| Abilene      | cloudy             | 78             | 68                 | .50                      |
| Asheville    | cloudy             | 74             | 62                 | .02                      |
| Augusta      | cloudy             | 90             | 68                 | .04                      |
| Baltimore    | clear              | 82             | 62                 | .01                      |
| Birmingham   | cloudy             | 82             | 62                 | .02                      |
| Boston       | cloudy             | 80             | 72                 | .02                      |
| Charlotte    | pt. cldy           | 86             | 68                 | .00                      |
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| Chicago      | clear              | 88             | 66                 | .00                      |
| Galveston    | clear              | 88             | 62                 | .00                      |
| Indianapolis | clear              | 80             | 70                 | .00                      |
| Mobile       | pt. cldy           | 92             | 76                 | .00                      |
| Milwaukee    | pt. cldy           | 92             | 72                 | .44                      |
| N. Orleans   | pt. cldy           | 92             | 78                 | .01                      |
| New York     | clear              | 78             | 68                 | .01                      |
| Philadelphia | clear              | 70             | 62                 | .00                      |
| Pittsburgh   | clear              | 92             | 72                 | .00                      |
| Raleigh      | clear              | 84             | 64                 | .00                      |
| Savannah     | cloudy             | 88             | 68                 | .00                      |
| Shreveport   | clear              | 82             | 72                 | .00                      |
| St. Louis    | clear              | 82             | 64                 | .00                      |
| Washington   | clear              | 82             | 68                 | .01                      |

Lumberton, died at his home in Unadilla, Texas, last Sunday. Mr. Crump and the writer were friends from early childhood, and he was one of the best boys and young men with whom it has ever been a pleasure to associate. Forty years ago we were working side by side setting type on the Robesonian. Twenty-six years ago he went to Texas, where he has since been a resident. He was a well-known writer, the Robesonian force of that time, from editor down, have passed away, though there are still a few of the old printing press.

The tobacco buyers, most of them at least, expected to leave here by the end of this week, but one of them told your correspondent this morning that business was holding up so well that they did not know when they would leave. Tobacco continues to come in surprising quantities, and as long as it continues to come in justifiable quantities the buyers will be on the job paying the price of the market.

Real Estate Changes.

The indications are that there will be some real estate changes in Lumberton soon. Mr. H. H. Anderson has decided to retire from the grocery business and is going to sell his business as well as his home and another house and lot.

Miss Blanche Redmond left Wednesday for Norfolk where she will go into training for a trial nurse. Her brother, Mr. J. H. Redmond, left yesterday for New York, where he has accepted a position.

Alfred Merrick, a highly respected colored Methodist preacher, died suddenly at his home Thursday night at 11 o'clock. Alfred was one of the old landmarks in Lumberton.

Just as was predicted, older caused the end of trouble last Saturday afternoon and night. It is hard to understand why a man will play with a mad dog until the dog has bitten him.

We heard a merchant bragging this week about paying 35 cents for eggs and selling them for 40 cents. He said that he would try to sell President Wilson was the cause of the high cost of living?

Corporal R. F. Tracey and Private J. M. L. of the U. S. Army, arrived from Wilmington yesterday and have opened a recruiting office here, the recruiting office in Wilmington having been closed. Rooms have been secured on the second floor of the Commercial Cotton Mills building, where all information will be gladly given those who desire to join the army. Messrs. Tracey and Jerome are exceedingly clever gentlemen and are great for them a pleasant stay in Lumberton.

The interior of the court house has been given a new coat of paint which adds very much to its appearance. Everything looks new and fresh.

Mr. B. L. Crump, a native of this county, for several years residing in

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Touche Carolina Beach Pier going and coming.

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STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, COUNTY of New Hanover.—In the Superior Court. Notice.

New Hanover County, North Carolina, vs. A. C. Levering.

The defendant above named will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of New Hanover County, to have the taxes for 1915 and 1916 on lands in said County of New Hanover, State of North Carolina, belonging to said A. C. Levering, defendant therein, declared a lien on said lands, and that a commissioner be appointed by said Court to sell the lands described in the complaint filed herein, for the payment of said taxes, interest and costs; and the said defendant will further take notice that he is required to appear before the Superior Court of said County of New Hanover, said State, on October 3rd, 1916, and answer or demur to the complaint in said action, or the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in said complaint.

W. N. HARRISS, Clerk of the Superior Court.

This 26th day of August, 1916.

2427-2447.

ATLANTIC COAST LINE RAILROAD COMPANY

PASSENGER TRAFFIC DEPARTMENT

Wilmington, N. C., August 31, 1916.

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BREVARD, N. C. . . . . \$14.05

HENDERSONVILLE, N. C. . . . . \$14.05

SALUDA, N. C. . . . . \$13.50

TRYON, N. C. . . . . \$13.50

Tickets on sale every day until Sept. 30, good to stop over; limited returning until Oct. 31.

\$20.50—Cincinnati, Ohio.

Account First International Sweepstake Motor Race. Tickets will be sold Sept. 2 and 3, limited returning until Sept. 10.

\$44.05—Kansas City, Mo.

Account National Baptist Convention (Colored). Tickets will be sold Sept. 2, 3 and 4; limited returning until September 20.

\$10.00—Savannah, Ga.

Account National Baptist Convention (Colored). Tickets will be sold Sept. 2 and 3, limited returning until September 14.

\$35.10—Memphis, Tenn.

Account the Concatenated Order of Hoo Hoo. Tickets will be sold Sept. 2 and 3, limited returning until September 15.

\$33.05—Cleveland, Ohio.

Account American Foundrymen's Association and American Institute of Metals. Tickets will be sold Sept. 2 and 3, limited returning until September 20.

\$13.20—Washington, D. C.

Account Biennial Session G. U. O. C. F. (Colored). Tickets will be sold Sept. 2 and 3, limited returning until September 20.

\$18.30—Chattanooga, Tenn.

Account Sovereign Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. Tickets will be sold Sept. 2 and 3, limited returning until September 27.

\$33.05—Cleveland, Ohio.

Account Annual Convention, Brotherhood of St. Andrew. Tickets will be sold Oct. 1 and 2, limited returning until Oct. 12.

\$20.95—Jacksonville, Fla.

\$21.45—State Camp, Fla.

Account the following important National events: Southern Rifle Association, October 11 and 12; National Rifle Association, October 13 to 19; National Rifle Practice, October 20 and 21; National Individual Rifle Match, October 22; National Pistol Match, October 24; National Team Match, October 24 to 26. Tickets will be sold to Jacksonville and return September 15, 17, 19, 23, 24, 26, 28, October 1 and 2, and to State Camp and return, October 1, 2, 3, 14, 15 and 18. All tickets will be limited returning until November 4, 1916. Reduced fares for parties of ten or more traveling together.



## SAMPSON REPUBLICANS REPUDETE PROGRESS?

This is View Taken of Action of  
County Convention.

Chairman Peterson, of Board of Commissioners, Defeated When Tom Owen Compares Democratic to Republican Finances.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Clinton, N. C., Sept. 2.—The Sampson county Republican convention held here today was replete with exciting moments. There were revelations and near-revelations which sounded good to listening Democrats even as it disconcerted the leaders who were trying to preserve order and prevent any suspicion of factionalism and discontent. There was a settling up of old scores and the opening of old sores. And there were new wounds made, wounds that the months that intervene between now and election will not see healed.

The convention was called to order by W. Fleet Sessoms, from whom there is no smoother when it comes to politics. He spread the honey good and thick, and when he called on Major Geo. E. Butler and Dr. J. O. Matthews, the latter of whom was made chairman of the convention, he had two allies of the same sort.

Major Butler made the regular convention speech, but it was the sort of speech that a wise man might call a speech without previous notice, and the Major did not do justice to himself. There was an undercurrent that was leading on to the conclusion that the whole convention feared, and Major Butler was there more to sit on the lid than to show wherein the Democrats had erred in State and Nation.

Previous to the arrival of the time to nominate county officers the convention was a very tame affair, but things began to happen quick and fast when that stage was reached. The fight that was scheduled to take place in the convention was over the office of chairman of the county commissioners. It was pulled out of the scheduled.

John R. Peterson, present chairman, was slated for slaughter by the reactionaries, who are opposed to the progressive policies inaugurated by him. He was supported by the more progressive element in his party, while James T. Kennedy, ex-member of the Legislature, was the choice of the reactionaries which is opposed to the acts of the Peterson administration. After a hot fight Kennedy won and his nomination is regarded as a distinct set-back to every progressive move that has been made in this county in recent years.

Former Editor Tom Owen, who has been sore with Peterson and his crowd ever since Owen's ambition was defeated at Goldsboro, precipitated the fight on the floor of the convention. John E. Fowler made a big speech to Peterson, reciting the numerous things that the chairman has done to make the name of Sampson synonymous with progress all over North Carolina. The convention was apparently very much pro-Peterson when Owen jumped to his feet and made some statements which made every one sit up and take notice.

"When I took hold of the treasurer's office ten years ago," Owen said, "I found a Democratic treasurer, Robinson, turned over to me a surplus of \$10,000," shouted Owen to his enemies, "but now the county is \$7,000 in debt." And he laid the blame at the door of the Republicans and reactionaries, who are too progressive for their own party. "We are a pauper county," Owen shouted again. "The State pays us more than we pay it."

Owen's revelations, which were embarrassing to say the least, in his own convention, put things in an upstir. Chairman Peterson shouted back at Owen and told him that he was just mad because he was sat down on Goldsboro. He said that he was not a Republican, but a Democrat. Both Mr. Peterson and Mr. Owen appeared mad and it looked for a few minutes as if both of them were going to furnish a test for many a Democratic armorer.

The convention nominated the same county officials, with the exception of two of the commissioners, Messrs. J. R. Peterson and I. L. Jackson being dropped for Messrs. J. T. Kennedy and S. J. Faircloth.

Mr. Otis Ward was nominated for the Legislature. The failure to re-elect Peterson is regarded as a repudiation by the Republican party of all progressive programs that it has inaugurated in several years. All Sampson county citizens, irrespective of party affiliations, regret the action of the convention. THEO. PATRICK, JR.

MCASKILL'S BROTHER SAYS  
WILSON WILL SWEEP WEST

J. A. Brown and Dr. Alexander Speak at Rally at Roxboro, in Robeson.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Lumberton, N. C., Sept. 2.—At a joint meeting of the Farmers' Union and Woodmen of the World held at Roxboro church in Saddle Tree township today, the crowd was estimated at one thousand and an abundant dinner was served. The speakers were Messrs. J. A. Brown, of Chadbourn; H. Q. Alexander, of Mecklenburg; and A. L. McCaskill, Republican candidate for Congress. The speech of Mr. Brown was the feature of the occasion, it being considered one of unusual power. A brother of Candidate McCaskill, who resides in Kansas, being home on a visit, attended the meeting and declared emphatically that President Wilson would sweep the West. Democracy is daily growing stronger in Robeson.

KARL LEHMANN A TRINISTON.

To Hold Series of Conferences With  
Christian Endeavor.

Kinston, N. C., Sept. 2.—Karl Lehmann, southern secretary for field work of the Christian Endeavor Union and nationally prominent in his line, will begin a series of conferences with the Endeavor societies here on September 11. Presbyterian and Christian churches in the city have several societies.

Washington, Sept. 2.—Completion of the new Persian cabinet, in the process of formation during the past month, was announced today in dispatches received here. The appointments are not regarded as significant, however, owing to the fact that Persia is held practically powerless by foreign consessions.

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Heights section, \$2,100.00. This is a bargain for this choice location. See James and James, Inc., Insurance and Real Estate Southern Building, Phone 163. se 2-1t

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those new, up-to-date apartments, No. 418 South 5th Avenue (lower); No. 420 South Fifth Avenue (upper and upper). W. G. Whitehead, Phone 229-J and 408-J. se 2-1t

STOP PAYING RENT—BUY THAT  
big bungalow on 17th street. Price \$2,300.00, \$300.00 cash, balance \$30.00 per month. You'll like it when you look it over. H. F. Wilder, agent. se 2-1t

FOR RENT FROM OCTOBER FIRST,  
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FOR RENT—THREE ROOM APART-  
ment, private bath, private entrance. Prefer couple. P. O. Box 538, City. se 2-1t

WOOD MANTELS, TILES AND GRATES—  
New stock; no advance in prices. Get McVey to fix your old fireplace, and put it in good working order for the winter. Gardens views very cheap. J. F. McVey 224 South Front st. se 2-1t

MR. FORD OWNER—YOU ARE PES-  
tered to death with specialists; and you are written to and picked on, but if you will try a pair of Ajax tires, guaranteed in writing for 5,000 miles, you will get relief. Try them. They cost no more. W. D. MacMillan, Jr., 112 North Second st. se 2-1t

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class apartment. Give references. Address "Janitor," care Star. se 2-1t

WANTED—YOUNG MAN WHO WOULD  
like to learn the machinist trade; one with some experience around machinery preferred. Apply to our Machinery yard at Lingo City. Wilmington Iron Works. se 2-1t

FOR RENT—HOME AT WINTER  
Park; seven rooms; two story; large lot; all modern conveniences; on car line; one block from station. Price reasonable. P. O. Box 714, or 924-1. se 2-1t

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FOR SALE—DESIRABLE LOT IN  
Greenfield Terrace, 490 feet, one er will sacrifice, if sold at once. Address "T. B." care Star. se 2-1t

CAPE FEAR APARTMENTS—STEAM  
heat, hot and cold running water, large, low windows; all rooms outside; janitor and elevator service, the only roof garden in town; apartments of two, three and five rooms. The place to be comfortable both summer and winter. See James and James, Inc., Southern Bldg. se 2-1t

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gasoline engine. Can be seen at foot of Orange street. Apply to J. J. Darby Wilmington Steam Laundry. se 2-1t

FOR SALE—ONE LARGE YOUNG  
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WANTED—TWO GENTLEMEN TO  
board in private family. Large, airy front room, southern exposure, with privilege of bath and phone. Fine location. Address "Private," care Star. se 2-1t

FOR RENT—FURNISHED ROOM,  
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I WOULD LIKE TO BORROW \$1,250  
for 12 months at 6 percent on city property, valued at \$4,000.00. If interested, address "Real Estate," care Star. se 2-1t

REMEMBER, YOU CAN NOW GET NO.  
1 Red Oak from us in sizes from 1x12 to 1x16. Also your choice of many other kinds of wood. Clark-Lynch Lumber Co. se 2-1t

FOR SALE—SIX CLOTHING TABLES.  
Cost \$20.00 a piece; will sell for \$5.00 a piece. Apply J. M. Solky & Co., No. 9 North Front st. se 2-1t

FOR RENT—206 NORTH SECOND ST.,  
six rooms and bath second floor. Rooms southern exposure; finest and one of largest porches in city, facing south and west; not a more convenient location in the city; no car fare to pay; two minutes' walk from any downtown business. Phone Chas. A. Price, 648-J, or your real estate agent. \$10.00 monthly. Occupancy October 1st. se 2-1t

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for rent for the present, as well as October 1st. Have them in city. Carolina Place, Carolina Court. Cottages, large and small. L. W. Moore Renting Agency. se 2-1t

PALM BEACH AND COOL CLOTH  
suits cleaned and pressed, 35c; suits pressed, 25c. Work can be beat. Try us. American Practical Hatter, 128 Market street. Phone 393-J. se 2-1t

STORES FOR RENT BY L. W. MOORE  
Renting Agency, 123 Princess. se 2-1t

FOR RENT—HALF OF OFFICE IN  
Murchison building. Apply to L. M. Hunching. se 2-1t

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ern eight-room house, 309 Fifth Avenue between Grace and Walnut. Apply 512 Chestnut street, or phone 1568-J. se 2-1t

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